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SEVERE REPULSE TO THE BRITISH

Gen. Methuen Attacks Boers on Modder River and is Defeated.

REPORTS GREAT LOSS

Burghers Entrenched in the Hills Prevent British Troops From Advancing.

Methuen Reports the Boer Forces He is Facing to Number About 12,000 —Boers Capture Forty-One Prisoners in the Last Engagement—Relief For Kimberley Still in Doubt—Boers it is Thought, Have Occupied Molteno.

London, Dec. 13—[Special Cablegram]—An official report from Gen. Methuen tells of a severe repulse of the British north of the Modder river.

The following is Gen Methuen's official report:

"On Sunday I shelled the strong position of the enemy on Longehigh Copje from four in the afternoon till dusk. On Monday at daybreak the Highlanders attacked the south end of the Kopje. The attack was properly timed but failed.

"The Guards protected the Highlanders on the right and rear, while the cavalry and mounted infantry with a howitzer and battery attacked the enemy's left. The artillery shelled the enemy's position from daybreak and at 1:15 o'clock I sent the Gordons to support the Highlanders.

"My troops held their own till dark, when they retired, my position extending six miles toward the Modder river. This (Tuesday) morning I am entrenching myself. Had to face at least 12,000. Our loss is great."

British Driven Back With Loss.

Modder River Camp, Dec. 13—[Special Cablegram]—Following the Saturday's bombardment of the Boer's position by the naval contingent the artillery reopened here this morning on the Boer trenches around Magersfontein Kopje, apparently silencing the enemy. The British infantry then advanced, but the Boers remained in their trenches and when the British approached they poured in a terrific rifle fire, repulsing the British with heavy losses. The Highland brigade suffered especially severe losses.

Boers Capture Forty-One Prisoners.

Pretoria, Dec. 13—[Special Cablegram]—In the battle with Gen. Methuen at Modder river yesterday the Boers captured forty-one prisoners.

Boers May Occupy Molteno.

Cape Town, Dec. 13—[Special Cablegram]—The Boer loss at Stormberg on Sunday was four killed and nine wounded. This is explained by the fact that the British made no concerted attack, the men rushing to the hills without orders, when they were exhausted and incapable of fighting. The Boers may occupy Molteno.

Gen. Barton Near Colenso.

Frere, Dec. 13—[Special Cablegram]—General Barton's brigade advanced today, and took a position, unopposed, within three miles of Colenso.

Gen. Wauschope Was Killed.

Cape Town, Dec. 13—[Special Cablegram]—Gen. Methuen reports to General Walker that Maj. Gen. Andrew C. Wauschope was killed in Monday's fight at North Modder River.

Schreiner May Be Dismissed

London, Dec. 13—[Special Cablegram]—A Central News dispatch says that Schreiner, one of the ministry at the Cape, gave passes to the Free State pupils, attending the colonial colleges, who wanted to go home to fight. As a result, Governor Milner is considering the dismissal of Schreiner and his colleagues.

AMERICAN COLONEL IN BOER ARMY

Son of Gen. Hood Fighting Under Krueger's Standard.

Poughkeepsie, N. Y., Dec. 13—Proof that American soldiers are fighting in the Boer army comes in the story of Duncan S. Hood, a graduate of West Point, who has cast his fortune with the South African Republic. Direct information of his presence in the field has been received here.

Young Hood is a son of the famous Gen. Hood of the confederate army. He attended Review Military academy where he was prepared for West Point. He was adopted by John Morris of New Jersey who educated him. After graduation young Hood traveled through South America, Central America and Mexico. Then he resigned his commission as second lieutenant and took up the study of mining engineering in Columbia college. When the war between the United States and Spain broke out he dropped his studies and speculation and went at once to his native state, Louisiana.

He was the first to suggest to President McKinley the idea of immune regiments for service in Cuba. The result was that Hood was commissioned as colonel of one of the regiments. This regiment saw no service in Cuba. Last July after being mustered out Col. Hood returned to New York and resumed his studies.

He left for South Africa just before the war there began and has since been commissioned in the Boer army. Col. Hood is about 30 years old.

CHANGED TO A DICTORSHIP.

Filipinos Will Adopt a Guerilla Warfare In the Future.

London, Dec. 13—Reuter's Telegram Company has received the following dispatch from Hong-Kong:

"The insurgent government (so called) of the Philippines will be changed to a dictatorship, to continue hostilities against the Americans exclusively by the methods of guerilla warfare. The Filipino army is being split up into small bands, the troops taking an oath before separation that they will fight until their country's rights are recognized.

"A force of United States marines who landed at Vigan, South Ilocos province, from the battleship Oregon was defeated by the Filipinos under General Finco (Tino?) on December 4. The Manila newspapers, despite the censorship, admit that General Lawton is missing."

The foregoing dispatch was evidently sent by the Filipino junta in Hong Kong.

GOVERNOR SCOFIELD UPHOLDS M'KINLEY

Denies That He Is Opposed to the Adminstration's Philippine Policy.

Chicago, Dec. 13—Governor Edward Scofield of Wisconsin, denied yesterday the charge that he is at variance with the republican party in regard to the Philippines. He visited Chicago on business yesterday, stopping at the Grand Pacific hotel.

"Of course I have my own ideas about the Philippines, and have expressed them freely," said Governor Scofield, "but I am not opposing the course of the administration. As is often the case with public men, I have been misquoted, but the people of Wisconsin understand me and are with me.

"I heartily concur in the recommendation of the president that the question of the future government of the Philippines be left to congress. Meanwhile we have a war on our hands in the Philippines, and cannot hesitate or turn back until it is fought to a successful close.

"The Germans of Wisconsin are not opposed to the president's policy. They are as loyal as any class of citizens and repudiate the story that they are opposed to the policy of the president. They are ready to abide by and uphold the decision of congress.

"There is nothing new in Wisconsin politics. I am not seeking a renomination for governor, and I suppose there will be the usual friendly fight in the party over nominations for state offices, but the fighting will end in the convention.

"The reorganization of the state militia has been effected, and is a decided success. The militia is reorganized on the lines of the regular army, and we serve army rations at our state encampments. Our entire militia served in the Spanish war, and when reorganization took place they re-enlisted almost to a man. With their new form of organization they make an effective force, but Wisconsin is a peaceful state, and I hope it will be long before it is necessary to call them out again."

EX-SENATOR ALLEN SUCCEEDS HAYWARD

Governor Poynter of Nebraska Appoints a Populist for U. S. Senator.

Omaha, Dec. 13—[Special Telegram]—Gov. Poynter today appointed Ex-Senator Allen to succeed the late United States senator elect Hayward.

BOSTON NOW REPUBLICAN

Normal Democratic Majority of 5,000 Wiped Out By Hart.

Boston, Dec. 13—The election here yesterday was a complete overturn for the democrats, their normal majority of 5,000 being wiped out by Thomas N. Hart, republican, who is elected mayor over General Patrick A. Collins, democrat by about 4,000. A split in the democratic party and unpopularity in the outgoing administration account for this result. A republican street commissioner is also elected. The city council remains democratic.

Held for Cheney Shooting.

Racine, Wis., Dec. 13.—Henry F. Corbett, suspected of shooting the Rev. David Cheney and wife, will be charged with the crime on the strength of the identification made by Mrs. Cheney Monday from a photograph of the man. Corbett still protests his innocence. It is thought Mr. and Mrs. Cheney will recover.

INMATES OF BADGER INSANE ASYLUMS

THERE ARE 3,366 PATIENTS IN COUNTY INSTITUTIONS.

These Refuges Are Not Crowded But Soon Will Be on a Considerable Yearly Increase of Insane—Organize a Wisconsin Valley Boom Society—State News.

Madison, Dec 13—Ex-Justice Lyons has just completed some very interesting figures regarding the insane of the state. In the twenty-six county asylums on Dec. 1, there were 3 366 inmates, in the state hospital 370, and in the Northern hospital at Oshkosh 531, making a total of 4,679 patients. Of these 2,597 were males and 2,100 females. In the county asylums for the chronic insane there are 2,019 patients from the counties in which the asylums are located giving an average of 78 to each. The asylums are not crowded, there being room for 200 more patients. There is, however, a yearly increase of from 100 to 110 patients and consequently the requests from the supervisors for permission to build will probably be granted to Waukesha and Eau Claire counties in the near future.

To Boom Wisconsin Valley.

Tomahawk, Wis., Dec. 13—At a meeting held in this city yesterday afternoon an association was organized for the purpose of presenting to the world the advantages offered by the Wisconsin river valley as a place where poor men can find homes and capitalists may invest their money in manufacturing enterprises with profit. No delegation being present from Stevens Point that city was not given representation on the board, but will be allowed to come in later. Officers elected were: President, W. H. Bradley, Tomahawk; vice president, W. E. Brown, Rhinelander; secretary, Lester A. Rose, Wausau; treasurer, Ernst Oberbeck, Centralia.

Suspects Held at Kenosha.

Kenosha, Wis., Dec. 13—A rumor was afloat yesterday that Loescher and Harkin, the two young men arrested Monday morning on the charge of attempting to enter Keating's saloon, may know something about the shooting of the Rev. D. B. Cheney and his wife at Racine. The men will probably be taken to Racine and confronted with Mr. and Mrs. Cheney for identification.

Mrs. Helen Waitel Dead.

Stevens Point, Wis., Dec. 13—Mrs. Helen Waitel, who was shot while walking on the street Friday afternoon, died yesterday afternoon. The woman was shot by her husband, Constantine Waitel, because she refused to live with him. Waitel will be arraigned tomorrow on a charge of murder.

Find Gold at Le Farge, Wis.

La Crosse, Wis., Dec. 13—Sensational reports have been received here of a gold find at Le Farge, fifty miles from here, the terminus of the Kickapoo Valley railroad. A two-thirds interest in the property was sold to a New York syndicate for $100,000. It is announced that mining operations will begin on an extensive scale immediately.

JOHN THOSON'S ASSAILANT

Arrest of a Man at Fond du Lac on Suspicion.

Fond du Lac, Wis., Dec. 13—A man giving his name as George McCarroll was arrested here yesterday and he is believed to be one of the men who so brutally assaulted John Thoson and his sister at Golden Lake, Jefferson county, last Friday. The man closely answers the description of one of the assailants, and one of his fingers is badly injured. This makes the suspicion against him much stronger, as Mr. Thoson bit the finger of one of the men during the scuffle.

The sheriff of Jefferson county came here today and took the man to the scene of the crime and it is expected that Mr. Thoson will identify him as being one of the assailants.

MR. ROBERTS FILES A BRIEF

Denies Right of the Committee to Try Him Without Legal Process

Washington, Dec. 13—The house committee investigating the charges against Mr. Roberts, the member-elect from Utah, sat behind closed doors today. At the conclusion of the sitting Mr. Roberts presented to Mr. Taylor his brief. The brief is a long legal argument against he alleged right of the committee to try Mr. Roberts. He urges that the constitution gives protection against trial and the taking of property, such as the salary of an office, without due process of law. The hearing of witnesses began today.

The Roberts investigating committee began the taking of testimony today. The committee overruled Roberts' demurrer to the jurisdiction of committee. C. M. Owen, of Salt Lake, was the first witness and testified that Roberts had more than one wife.

White House Entertainments.

Washington, Dec. 13.—The program of entertainments at the white house for the season of 1900 has been completed. The same general plan has been followed as last year, beginning with the morning reception on New Year's day, and closing with that to the public in the evening just before Ash Wednesday, which falls on Feb. 28.

CORPSES STREWN ON SHORE FOR MILES

TIDAL WAVE SWEEPS CERAM IN THE MOLUCCA GROUP.

It is Estimated That About 23,000 Lives Are Lost—Tree Tops Covered—At Pauholy and Samasoeroa Only Forty Escape Out of 18,000 Inhabitants.

San Francisco, Cal., Dec. 13—By steamer from China came the first details of an appalling disaster caused by a tidal wave which swept over Ceram, one of the Molucca islands, between Borneo and New Guinea, on November 2. Ceram was isolated, as telegraphic communication was destroyed.

Only a brief cable message was sent to the outside world, and few people know of the terrible sufferings of the inhabitants. Mail advices show that 5,000 people were destroyed on Ceram alone when the dreadful earthquakes of November shook the Japan coast and agitated lands adjacent to that empire.

On the night of November 2 the people of Ceram were awakened by a terrific earthquake that seemed to move from north to south. All the people fled from their houses and took up places in the public square. A few hours later it was reported that the water was rising in the bay of Ambonia. The sea came forward in the shape of a huge tidal wave and forced the water into the bay entrance. It came up fifty feet over the lowlands.

At Pauholy and Samasoeroa, on the bay, the wave swept over the tops of trees thirty feet high. Out of nearly 18,000 inhabitants, only forty escaped.

The whole coast for miles was transferred into a huge mud puddle. Corpses were everywhere. Broken trees and parts of houses were buried in ooze. Every few rods were heaps of stones and boulders that had been washed up by the sea, changing the entire topography of the country.

The exact number of killed along the coast will never be known as the bodies are buried in many cases yards under ground. At Aatosia, out of 600 people 100 were killed and forty wounded. The remainder escaped to the hills when the shock of the earth quake was first felt.

GEN. WOOD WILL GOVERN IN CUBA

Official Announcement of His Assignment to Relieve General Brooke.

Washington, D. C., Dec. 13—[Special Cablegram]—Official announcement was made today of the selection of Major General Leonard Wood as military governor of Cuba to succeed General Brooks, who will return to the United States.

War department officials declined today to discuss the movements of General Brooke, but it was learned officially that an announcement of the department's intention regarding his return will be made tomorrow.

MAINE DEAD TO BE BROUGHT HOME

Battleship Texas Ordered to Cuba to Bring the Bodies to Washington.

Newport News, Va., Dec. 13—[Special Telegram]—The Battleship Texas sailed this morning for Havana, where she will arrive Friday or Saturday to take aboard the bodies of the Maine dead, buried in the Christobal Colon cemetery. The boat will return the middle of next week. The bodies will be forwarded to Washington by rail.

MEMBERS INVITE THEIR WIVES

Economic League Meeting At Caledonia Hall This Evening.

The Economic League meets Wednesday evening, Dec. 13, at 7:30 p. m., at Caledonia hall. Dr. Buckmaster, leader. Subjects: First, "Prehistorics and History of Switzerland" H. J. Cuningham. Second, "The Swiss Confederacy and the Ideal Democratic State," Dr. Sutherland. Third, "Cosmic and Organic Evolutions," F. L. Clemons. Fourth, "Social Evolution, Competition and Combination," D. K. Jeffris.

Wives of the members are invited.

May Raise Wreck of the Maine.

Havana, Dec. 13.—Another examination is to be made by the government engineers regarding the feasibility of the many projects for the raising of the wreck of the Maine, the United States battleship.

Big Falling Off in Wheat Yield.

London, Dec. 13.—A preliminary statement issued by the board of agriculture estimates the total wheat yield in Great Britain for 1899 at 65,529,325 bushels. The total last year was 73,028,856 bushels.

Count Tolstoi's Condition.

Moscow, Dec. 13.—Count Lyof Tolstoi, the great Russian author-philanthropist, is at the point of death. His physicians do not altogether despair of his restoration, however.

MASON WILL BE SMOTHERED

Senate to Pigeonhole His Boer Sympathy Resolution

Washington, Dec. 13—Senator Mason's resolution declaring the sympathy of the United States senate with the Boers in their struggle against the British is to be buried in the committee on foreign relations. It is not likely to be brought to a vote. The program is to smother it in a pigeon hole. Mr. Mason, on the other hand, says he will have a vote on that resolution or know the reason why. If necessary he will take the floor and block all business. He declares he is able to speak for a week or even two weeks if he should be required in order to carry his point.

WARM WEATHER IN BOSTON

Thermometer Registers 60 Degrees Above Zero in the Afternoon

Boston, Mass., Dec. 13—Yesterday was the hottest December 12 in the history of the weather station at Boston, and there has been only one other day recorded in December in the last twenty-seven years, when the temperature was equaled, and none that ever excelled it in heat. At 1:30 o'clock yesterday afternoon, the mercury stood at 66 degrees. In 1881, Dec. 14, it touched 66.

COLOMBIAN REVOLT CRUSHED

Government Forces Have Occupied the City of Cumana.

Caracas, Venezuela, Dec. 13—It is announced that the Colombian government has occupied Cumana on the Gulf of Cariaco, and the revolution is said to be crushed.

MILWAUKEE PUBLIC VERY MUCH AROUSED

Street Railway Hoodlum Gang Try to Break Up Investigation Meetings.

Milwaukee, Wis., Dec. 13.—The attempt to break up the meeting called to protest against the passage of the street railway ordinance has been the general topic of discussion in this city today. The fact that the gang was marshaled by subordinate officials of the company has had the effect of arousing public indignation. Men close to the company threatened today that the same tactics would be pursued at the other meetings that are to be held. Six meetings for this week are announced by Cassius M. Payne, chairman of the emergency committee. He also serves notice that any further attempts to break up meetings will be dealt with according to law, as sufficient police protection will be demanded.

It was reported this afternoon that Mayor Rose was to veto the ordinance. It is known to be a fact that the mayor has worked in behalf of the measure.

Highwaymen last night held up two members of the Barry family and robbed them at the muzzle of revolvers. Eugene Barry is the manager of the Pfister & Vogel tannery, and Eugene Barry Jr., is the secretary of the same concern. They locked the office about 6 o'clock and started home. When only a short distance from the office three men sprung upon them, presented revolvers, rifled their pockets, securing $25 from the father and $11 from the son. The robbers escaped.

Some of the big Eastern breweries it is announced today, together with L. J. Merkel of New York, formerly of the Kraus-Merkel Malting company, will erect a malting plant in this city to cost $600,000. It will be a rival of the combine and will be known as the Standard company. Milwaukee's output of malt is now about 5,500,000 bushels, and the new plant will increase it nearly 20 per cent.

PROHIB CONVENTION IN CHICAGO JUNE 27

So Decides the National Executive Committee in Session in Chicago Today.

Chicago, Dec. 13—[Special Telegram]—The national executive committee of the prohibition party in session here today has decided to hold the next convention in Chicago on June 27

LEAGUE TO MEET IN ST. PAUL

Republican Clubs to Gather on the Third Tuesday in July, 1900

Washington, D. C. Dec. 13—At a meeting today of the executive committee of the National League of the Republican Clubs it was voted to hold the next convention of the league at St. Paul, Minn., on the third Tuesday in July, 1900.

Resolutions of respect for the late vice President Hobart were adopted and also indorsing President McKinley's administration. It was decided to appoint a committee to revise the constitution of the league.

Pure Water Is Poison.

A scientist of some standing asserts that chemically pure water is poison to the human stomach, upsetting some hitherto accepted theories regarding distilled water by the argument that in distillation the water loses sundry salts that it greedily abstracts from the animal tissues when it is swallowed, thus constituting a protoplasmic poison.

GEN. TINEO'S ARMY IS DEMOLISHED

Last Formidable Filipino Force Defeated by Col. Howze.

FIFTY REBELS KILLED

Large Number of the Enemy Wounded and One Hundred Prisoners Taken.

The Remainder of Tineo's Army is Flying North Taking With Them Their American Prisoners—Major Marsh Has Received the Surrender of Conceptien in the Province of Lepanto—Marsh Liberated 575 Spaniards.

Manila, Dec. 13—[Special Cablegram]—Colonel Howze of the Thirty-fourth infantry, has demolished Gen. Tineo's army which was the most formidable force left in northern Luzon. Howze killed fifty of the enemy, wounded a large number and took one hundred prisoners, including several officers. The remainder of Tineo's army is fleeing north, taking with them their American prisoners.

Major Marchis battalion of the Thirty-third infantry, is operating further south and has received the surrender of Conception, in the province of Lepanto. March has liberated 575 Spaniards, including 100 friars.

Province of Cagayan Surrenders.

Washington, Dec. 13—[Special Telegram]—Gen. Otis cabled this morning as follows: "Admiral Watson informs me that the province of Cagayan has surrendered unconditionally to Captain McCalla of the Cruiser New Ark. This surrender doubtless includes the province of Isabella. Bates at Zamboango, reports affairs satisfactory there and nearly all the rifles are surrendered. MacArthur at Bayambang says he holds as a prisoner of war, Mabina, the ablest of the insurgent leaders, and the founder of the late government.

Firm Stand for Porto Rico.

Washington, Dec. 13.—After the cabinet meeting Tuesday a member said that the president was insistent that the recommendation in his recent message that Porto Rico be put on a par with the states on all questions—tariffs, coastwise trade, etc.—should be promptly acted upon. There is antagonism in some quarters to the president's plan for absolute free trade with Porto Rico, but it will not be serious enough to prevent the adoption of the plan proposed.

Will Be McKinley and Root.

Washington, Dec. 13.—In the light of information that has been gathered within the last three days from contact with leaders in politics it may be stated almost without qualification that the republican national ticket next year will be McKinley and Root. As to the matter of nominating the entire ticket by acclamation there is reason to believe that the next republican convention will establish such a precedent.

Gage Will Do No More Now.

Washington, Dec. 13. — Secretary Gage has no intention at present of doing anything more for the relief of the money market. He will make no statement, however, as to what he will or will not do in the future, and if at any time within a few days or within a few weeks the financial situation is such as to make action necessary or desirable he may adopt some means to get money out of the treasury and into circulation.

Chicago Believed to Lead.

Washington, Dec. 13.—There will be an unusually spirited contest this week between seven cities that are seeking the next national republican convention. While Chicago is generally regarded as having a mortgage on the convention, the delegations from Philadelphia, New York, Denver, San Francisco, Cincinnati and St. Louis propose to make a strong fight.

Cullom Introduces a Bill.

Washington, Dec. 13.—Senator Cullom Tuesday introduced a bill to amend the interstate-commerce act and extend the authority of the interstate-commerce commission. The measure is similar to that which the senator introduced during the first session of the last congress. It is said to have the indorsement of the principal industrial organizations and business interests of the country.

Bank Robber Shot Dead.

New Haven, Conn., Dec. 13.—An attempt was made by four men to rob the First National bank at Deep River this morning, and the watchman shot and killed one of the men, blowing the top of his head off. The other three men escaped.

TWILIGHT MEMBERS ATE AND TALKED

HELD INTERESTING SESSION LAST EVENING.

One Hundred and Twenty-Five Present at the Hotel Myers—The Philippine Islands Were Under Fire—Many Speakers Took Part—Meeting Was Profitable.

Members of the Twilight club held an interesting and profitable session last evening at Hotel Myers. One hundred and twenty five were present and after the serving of the repast J. S. Mahoney, as leader, announced the program.

Prof. D. D. Mayne stated that as no business men's club at present flourished in the city of Janesville would not it be a good idea to have fifteen members of the Twilight club act as such and report at the club meetings any business propositions that would benefit the city. Stanley B. Smith thought that five members were sufficient and his idea carried.

The first subject of the evening was: "What Shall We Do With the Philippines?" M. G. Jeffris was the first speaker. His topic was "How We Acquired the Philippines, Shall We or Can We Let Them Go?" Mr. Jeffris speech was to the point and strongly advocated the retaining of the Islands by Uncle Sam.

A. O. Wilson replied. He was opposed to the views as upheld by Mr. Jeffris. Rev. A. H. Barrington, rector of Christ church, suggested that the natives in the Islands could in time be made christians.

Justice M. P. Richardson stated that the right course was the only one to follow. He favored self-government when the Philippines were able to administer it. Attorney William Smith presented an excellent address on "Rights of the Philippines." Walter Helms read a letter from a soldier at Manila.

Judge B. F. Dunwiddie spoke on "World Lessons in Colonial Government." George G. Sutherland read an able paper on "Civil Service or Carpet-bagging in the Philippines." Wilson Lane favored the best government. Dr. Leroy Hedges spoke on the Indian question, stating that we had not done our duty by them and they had just cause for complaint.

The topic for the next meeting will be "The Currency of the Country." John G. Rexford will be the leader.

MAYOR'S MACKEREL MISSING

'Twas Willfully and Feloniously Stolen From Atop of the Kitchen Stove

Mayor Richardson's residence was broken into by thieves Saturday night, and a salt mackerel was stolen from the kitchen stove.

The mackerel was intended for Sunday morning's breakfast, and had been placed in a pan of water to freshen. This pan was then covered with another one, and the outfit was placed on top of the gas stove.

The fish was seen Saturday by the two servants and Mrs. Richardson, but on Sunday morning fish and pans were missing. A back window was found unlocked, and the thief may have made an entrance through it, or the job may have been done by a sneak thief. At any rate the mackerel is gone, nobody knows where, and the police have not yet rounded up the man who willfully, feloniously and with malice aforethought did steal, take away, and confiscate it, much against the peace and dignity of the state of Wisconsin

CHAS. BLAY MADE PRESIDENT

Federated Trades Elected Officers Last Evening For Ensuing Year

Members of the Federated Trades Council met last evening and for the ensuing year elected the following officers:

President—Charles W. Blay.

First Vice President—W. E. Watts.

Second Vice President—M. C. Olin.

Recording and Corresponding Secretary—Geo. F. Kueck.

Treasurer—A. Pardee.

Sergeant-at-arms—Geo. G. Paris.

Trustees—Geo. G. Paris, E. B. Birmingham, F. Neelan.

Board of Control—P. McKeigue, M. J. Stanton, W. E. Watts, M. C. Olin, Julius Hager, E. B. Birmingham, A. J. Reeder.

BRYAN MAY YET BE SENATOR

Nebraska Republicans Believe He Will Yet be Named by Governor Poynter.

Lincoln, Neb., Dec. 13—Governor Poynter, who returned to Lincoln today, said he would make no appointment to fill the vacancy caused by Senator Hayward's death until the latter part of the week He denies having offered the senatorship to William J. Bryan, and says no communication has passed between them. At the state house it is generally believed Mr. Allen will be named. The Republicans believe Bryan may yet be appointed in order to avert the dissolution of the Democratic-Populist alliance, which would be likely to occur if either Allen or Hitchcock were named, and also that he might take up in the Senate the gage of battle thrown down by the Republican currency bill, the success of which might make his nomination for President impossible.

Baldness Can be Cured

just so long as there is a particle of vitality left in the hair roots. The fact that the head is smooth and shining is no positive proof that the roots beneath are dead.

Deep down beneath the skin, hair roots may yet exist, filled with latent vitality, and all that is required to develop them into a beautiful head of hair is the faithful application of the proper agents.

Seven Sutherland Sisters'

preparations furnish the easiest, surest and quickest way to ascertain if there is or is not latent life beneath a head bare of hair. Why not try them?

SOLD BY DRUGGISTS.

PROFITS OF THE BATTLE

Plenty of Money Made By Football Management at Madison

Those from Janesville who attended the Chicago-Wisconsin football game at Madison Saturday will be interested to know of the financial outcome of the game

Manager Fisher announces that the receipts aggregated $10,500, of which nearly $1,000 must go for the cost of advertising, the pay of the officials and the care of the grounds. Chicago will be the gainer by $4,800 five hundred dollars more than Wisconsin ever drew from the western metropolis, while Wisconsin, out of a like sum, must pay the expense of erecting the new bleachers, a permanent improvement, however.

RETAIL COAL MEN WILL HOLD MEETING

Janesville Will Be Well Represented At Milwaukee Meeting Tomorrow.

Janesville will be represented at Milwaukee tomorrow at the semi-annual meeting of the Retail Coal Dealers' association of Wisconsin and Illinois to be held at the Plankinton house. The meeting is to be held upon the invitation of the Milwaukee wholesalers. The association held two meetings a year and the annual meeting was held in Chicago six months ago. The association has been in existence several years and now has a membership of about 600. It is expected that the meeting will bring from 150 to 200 dealers to Milwaukee. The business meeting will be held at 10:30 and there will be a banquet at 1:30 o'clock.

The meeting is not called for the purpose of advancing prices. In fact the association has nothing to do with the making of prices. It was organized for the purpose of preventing the sale of coal to consumers by wholesalers, and it is composed of the retail dealers of the smaller cities of the two states. None of the Milwaukee dealers belong to it. Delos Hull of Oak Park is president of the association and F. E. Lukens of Chicago, is secretary.

A local retailer said this morning: "People here in Janesville may think that this meeting has been called to raise prices. That is not the case. The gathering is merely to improve the business along other lines."

EDGERTON TOBACCO MARKET

Buying Still Continues With a Good Deal of Vigor.

Edgerton, Dec. 13—The recent moist weather has brought tobacco into case again and afforded the growers an opportunity to remove the remainder of their crops from the curing sheds. So much of the crop has already been contracted for, it is probable that nearly all the hanging leaf will be taken down and stripped out for market. Buying is still going on with a good deal of vigor with a prospect that everything desirable will be picked up while the movement is on. Some firms have just entered the field and are trying to make up now in hustling an opportunity they allowed to go by earlier in the campaign. The growers are holding at firm prices and have so far been unable to make terms. Very little desirable leaf sells for less than 7 cents and much of it over that figure. The current issue of The Wisconsin Tobacco Reporter quotes the names of individual growers selling upwards of 500 acres at an average price of about 7½ cents. The present rate of buying is rapidly reducing the unsold fraction of the crop.

Child and Spitzner have bought several lots of old leaf during the week from local packers. Lewis Sylvester, Samuel Mendelshon and L. Kohn, New York leaf dealers have been in the state during the week.

The shipments out of storage reach thirty-three carloads, 1,646 cases, from this market to all points since last report.

ANOTHER FORM OF TICKET

Offices Now Receiving Supply of Tickets of Different Style.

The Milwaukee road has received a supply of new tickets which are to be used on the road for certain purposes. The road has decided to discontinue the use of the present mileage certificate for interchangeable mileage, and has substituted a special mileage credential ticket invented by C. S. Carrier, agent of the company at Omaha. The new ticket is simple in form and may be used by patrons without any preliminary schooling in the technihalities of an auditor's office. It consists of four coupons which are folded so that with one punch an agent may designate the amount paid.

The first coupon serves as a receipt, upon which the passenger is paid a refund; the second is used for passage and is taken up by the conductor; the third goes to the auditor of the road, and the fourth stub is retained by the agent. No duplicating work is necessary.

It adds spice to dreary life, encourages the human heart, lifts one out of despair, breaths new life and confidence. That's what Rocky Mountain Tea does. Smith's Pharmacy, Kodak Agents.

CALL for Florida oranges. Dedrick Bros.

H. P. CLUTE FAVORS MILK INSPECTION

STATE VETERINARIAN WARNS LOCAL CONSUMERS.

Says That Certain Milk Peddlars in the City of Janesville Are Violating Health Laws—Cattle Have Not Only Tuberculosis But Foot Rot as Well.

State Veterinarian H. P. Clute of Marinette, is one of the opinion that Janesville should have a city ordinance compelling each and every milk dealer, who sells within the city limits, to have a health license. This license would be the means of warning consumers against tuberculosis and other dangerous diseases that lurk in milk as the result of unhealthy cattle.

State Veterinarian Clute says taht consumption and other fatal diseases come through germs found in milk taken from diseased cattle. To prevent this cause he suggests that the city council of Janesville pass an ordinance appointing a local inspector whose business it would be to carefully inspect once a month all cattle owned by milk dealers. Not only would it be the duty of the inspector to look after unhealthy cattle but he would also be kept busy inspecting unsanitary stables in which cattle are kept.

While in Janesville last week Mr. Clute inspected a certain cattle barn that was so filthy that the sight was sickening. The cattle stood with feet buried in filth. Their feet had rotted away in parts thus breeding disease through the entire system of the cow. Each day these disease afflicted cattle were milked and the same was peddled to local consumers. If an inspector was appointed and a man peddled milk taken from diseased cattle his certificate would indicate such and then the purchaser could use their own judgment before purchasing.

At Marinette such a city ordinance is in force and it has the moral support of the entire population. To certain members of the Janesville common council the matter has been suggested and it is not at all unlikely but that some action may be taken in the matter.

LADIES GAVE MASQUE BALL

Held Last Evening at the East Side Odd Fellows' Hall

At East Side Odd Fellows' hall last evening members of the Ladies Order of the Maccabees gave a masque ball that was well attended. Prof. Smith's orchestra presided and the party came to an end at 1 o'clock.

The commitee of arrangements consisted of Mesdames Andrew R. Gibson, C. H. Belding, C. E. Cannon and F. B. Blanchard.

The reception committee included Mesdames E. C. Burdick, A. T. Wilkins, H. Wilbur, J. L. Harper, P. H. Dulin, M. C. Olin.

Sir Knights P. J. McKeigue, Guy Olin, Harry Swift, P. H. Dulin and A. R. Gibson had charge of the floor.

YELLOW JOURNALISTS WORK

Chicago Record's Graphic Account of a Recent Janesville Affair.

The ways of the "yellow journalist" are past finding out, as the following clipping shows: This special dispatch appeared in The Chicago Record—The Record correspondent being in no way connected with The Gazette office:

SHOTGUN BETTER THAN DOCTOR

Relief of Frank Corwin, Who Fired at His Wife When She Was Sick.

Special to The Chicago Record.

Janesville, Wis., Dec. 12—Frank Corwin went home last evening and found his wife suffering from an epileptic fit. Corwin, who was intoxicated, procured a shotgun, with which he shot at his wife, the charge going into the air, missing Mrs. Corwin by several feet. Corwin is now in jail. He alleges that he fired to frighten his wife, believing it a better method than calling a physician. Mrs. Corwin is now dangerously ill with nervous trouble.

DISEASE IN OLD BLOCKS

Physicians Say Discarded Paving Material Is Full of Poisonous Microbes

A local physician is responsible for the statement that disease lurks in the old cedar blocks that were taken from Milwaukee street when the brick pavement was put down, and that he has several patients whose illness was caused thereby. The blocks were used as fire wood, and when piled up in the house, scattered the germs of contagion right and left. There is no danger in burning the blocks, he says, but the danger lies in having them about the house or where children can play with them.

My son has been troubled for years with chronic diarrhoea. Sometime ago I persuaded him to take some of Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy. After using two bottles of the 25-cent size he was cured. I give this testimonial, thinking someone similarly afflicted may read it and be benefitted. —Thomas C. Bower, Glencoe, O. For sale by Smith's Pharmacy, next to post-office, Kodak agents.

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Our south store will be filled with

Handkerchiefs—10,000 Dozen....

We do this for one day to give the people a better idea of the immensity of our stock. It's as large as the combined showings of all other Janesville Dry Goods stores.

Most of them were purchased months ago and we paid from 10 to 30 per cent less for them than we can buy them for now.

At 2c—Picture Handkerchiefs for the children.

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At 5c—50 styles for women and children. White and colored borders for men.

At 10c—For women, many novelties. For men, cord edge white and colored border, large and fine.

At 12½c—Ladies' ¼-inch hem, **all linen** Men's corded edge, **all linen.**

At 15c—Men's ½ and ¾ hem, **all linen.** Women's beautiful novelties, hemstitched, with embroidered and lace corners and drawn work hems.

At 20c—Women's fine **all linen,** assorted hems. Men's fine cord edge.

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STATE OF WISCONSIN—County Court for Rock County—In Probate.

Notice is hereby given that at a special term of the County Court to be held in and for said county at the Court House, in the city of Janesville, in said county, on the third Tuesday, being the 16th day of January, 1900, at 9 o'clock a. m., the following matter will be heard and considered:

The application of Susan Arroll to admit to probate the last will and testament of Mary McGlone, late of the city of Janesville, in said county, deceased.

Dated Dec. 12, 1899.

By the Court,
J. W. SALE,
County Judge

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NEWS FROM THE COUNTY

LA PRAIRIE

La Prairie, Dec. 12—A gentleman from Hanover passed though this vicinity supplying his old customers with pure quill buckwheat. Walter Scott has been very busy hauling corn for Mrs. Wm. Scott for the past week. Marvin Peterson of Willowdale spent a few days with his sister, Mrs. Nick Schenck. Ben Woodman is enjoying a new wheel. Darby Coen had his henery robbed a few nights ago, only two hens left. Mr. thief had better keep scarce, he is not so far away but what he is liable to be "grabbed from his roost." Mr. and Mrs. Dixon from Illinois are visiting at the home of Adam Scott. Mrs. Herman Kelloge was called to mourn the death of her mother, Mrs. Sandow of Janesville. The "Deestrick Skule" was well rendered at the Grange hall last Friday evening. Marster and scholars acted well their parts. The recent misty weather brought down nearly all the tobacco and stripping is now in order. Friday evening, Dec. 22nd, is the date for the next club dance at the Grange hall. W. T. Sherman's afflicted cattle are all buried. It is hoped that the dreaded disease tuberculosis will now cease. Dr. Clute says fowls will take the disease.

LEYDEN

Leyden, Dec. 13—The damp weather will bring the tobacco in case it continues a few days. J. M. Bodenberger has returned from his Iowa visit and has taken up his duties again as night operator in Evansville. Operator Ehr has returned from his vacation with relatives in Portage. Mrs. S. Kennedy and Mrs. T. Huey and son Paul of Burr Oak were guests at Mount Pleasant recently. Mrs. Jessie Morrison Jones was home during her father's sickness. Mr. Morrison is gaining although but slowly. The wall of the new store is completed.

Puerto Rico.

Three tours of the beautiful island of Puerto Rico are scheduled to leave Chicago January 11, February 15, and March 8. Special Pullman sleeping and dining cars will convey the party to New York, thence on board the splendid new steamships Ponce and San Juan, through and around the island by rail, automobile, carriage and boat.

Tickets include all expenses everywhere. These select limited parties will be under the special escort of Mr. Walter Boyd Townsend under the management of The American Tourist association, Reau Campbell General Manager, 1423 Marquette Building, Chicago.

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The first indication of croup is hoarseness, and in a child subject to that disease it may be taken as a sure sign of the approach of an attack. Following this hoarseness is a peculiar rough cough. If Chamberlain's Cough Remedy is given as soon as the child becomes hoarse, or even after the croupy cough appears, it will prevent the attack. It is used in many thousands of homes in this broad land and never disappoints the anxious mothers. We have yet to learn of a single instance in which it has not proved effectual. No other preparation can show such a record—twenty-five years constant use without a failure. For sale by Smith's Pharmacy, next to postoffice, kodak agents.

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Macrum About to Start.

Lourenzo Marquez, Dec. 13.—An official dispatch from Pretoria, dated Dec. 9, announces that Mr. Macrum, the retiring American consul, will depart for Washington in a few days "on state business."

Lieut. Brumby Somewhat Better.

Washington, Dec. 13.—The condition of Lieut. Brumby, who is ill with typhoid fever, is slightly improved.

Burdick Blood Bitters give a man a clear head, an active brain, a strong, vigorous body—makes him fit for the battle of life.

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Itching piles? Never mind if physicians have failed to cure you. Try Doan's Ointment. No failure there. 50 cents, at any drug store.

Non-Union Man Is Defeated.

Crown Point, Ind., Dec. 13.—Judge Gillett Tuesday decided that a non-union workman, discharged at the behest of the union, had no redress in law. The judge holds that the union has a legal right to demand the dismissal of any man not a member of the union. The case will be appealed.

Iowa Town Imperiled by Fire.

Sioux City, Iowa, Dec. 13.—A dispatch from Sheldon, Iowa, at 3:30 this morning says a fierce fire is raging in the business part of that town. Already the loss is $50,000, and the flames are not under control. The Security bank and other fine brick buildings are in the path of the flames.

WHAT DO THE CHILDREN DRINK?

Don't give them tea or coffee. Have you tried the new food drink called GRAIN-O? It is delicious and nourishing, and takes the place of coffee. The more Grain-O you give the children the more health you distribute through their systems. Grain-O is made of pure grains, and when properly prepared tastes like the choice grades of coffee but costs about ¼ as much. All grocers sell it. 15c. and 25c.

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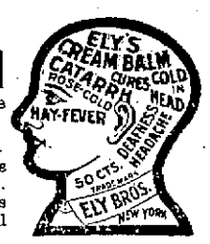

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Cream Balm is placed into the nostrils, spreads over the membrane and is absorbed. Relief is immediate and a cure follows. It is not drying—does not produce sneezing. Large Size, 50 cents at Druggists or by mail; Trial Size, 10 cents by mail.

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Chicago Inter Ocean—The story of the operations of Cervera's fleet in Cuban waters, as told in Cervera's correspondence, shows who of cur naval strategists made mistakes and who did not. When it was learned that Spain had sent a fleet of armored cruisers into American waters naval men and others gave themselves free rein in speculation. There were were those who believed that Cervera's purpose was to raid our Atlantic coast and destroy Boston and New York. Cervera, it appears from the correspondence, never contemplated such a raid. He knew enough of the American navy to pronounce the scheme when it was suggested, a foolish one.

Some of our naval strategists, Admiral Sampson among them, contended that, whatever Cervera's object, he would take his fleet first to San Juan, Porto Rico, and put his vessels in shape for active hostilities. So strong was Sampson in this belief that he went with a mixed fleet of cruisers, battle ships and monitors to San Juan, arriving there before Cervera. The Spanish admiral's correspondence shows that his plan was to run into San Juan for coal and repairs, and that Sampson's prompt action spoiled the plan.

It has been claimed by many naval men that Commodore Schley's negligence and disobedience of orders made it possible for Cervera's armored cruisers to escape from Santiago. The correspondence of Admiral Cervera substantiates this claim. The letters and reports show that a sortie had been planned for the days in which Schley left the harbor practically unguarded. On one occasion the Spaniards would have come out had they not mistaken the unprotected auxiliary vessels for battleships.

Schley staked his reputation on the belief that the Spanish fleet was not in Santiago harbor, and acted accordingly, ignoring the reports of Captain Sigsbee and treating contemptuously the orders of the navy department. Had he, in sailing west, encountered the Spanish fleet and won a great victory, his tenacity in clinging to his own belief and acting on it against instructions and orders would have been excused. But while he was sailing away from Santiago the Spanish officers were planning to escape. and were prevented only by the return of the blockading fleet. The facts as shown in our own reports prove that Schley was in error. The light thrown on the facts by Cervera's correspondence makes the error more striking.

It has been claimed by many authorities that when Sampson assumed command at Santiago the blockade became so effective that the Spaniards could not escape. Cervera admits this, and unconsciously pays a high tribute to Sampson when he enlarges upon the thoroughness of the day and night blockade. Most truly may Sampson be glad that his enemy hath written a book.

Although the city of Kenosha, which is about half the size of Janesville, now hires seven policemen—four more than Janesville—The Daily News is advocating enlarging the force, saying depre dations are continued because Kenosha "like all others of its size, is the victim of insufficient police The average police force of a town of this size is from four to seven officers. Of course such a force is manifestly inadequate." If a police force of seven men is inade quate to Kenosha's needs, how many officers should Janesville have?

The war between the Chicago Inter-Ocean and the Chicago Times-Herald has reached the accurate-figures-on-circulation stage, and has passed beyond the dead line. Therefore there can be no mediation, and dark, red blood must flow and flow copiously.

The Green Bay Gazette is of the opinion that "if Mr. Roberts can't get a seat in congress he can still find standing room on the lecture platform." Doubtless, but could he get an audience to stand for him?

"In Christmas shopping as in some other forms of athletic contests," says Jere Murphy in The Milwaukee Sentinel, "it is usually easier to go around the ends than through the center rush."

"Oom Paul," says The Milwaukee Evening Wisconsin, "is not only familiar with scripture texts, but he is well versed in canon law." Or in other words, he is "loaded." Is that the idea?

And Admiral Cervera, it would also appear, is a competent witness in the case of the Friends of one Schley versua the Friends of one Sampson.

After the Milwaukee papers get their street car fight off their hands, they might, just to "keep their hands in," occupy their time wit h a on the subject: "Resolved, that the city of Janesville needs a police force"—providing, of course, that one of them could be induced to take the negative side.

Speaking of the police department—but let it pass. The prosecution "rests its case," and will go to the jury on the evidence already submitted.

Of course the U. W. football team went down in defeat—"Coal Oil Johnny's" luck is proverbial, and alwas has been.

Billy Mason, however, always was a good deal of a Boer himself.

MacArthur Loves Wisconsin.

Hon. E. C. Wall of Milwaukee, who is a boyhood friend of Gen. Arthur MacArthur, recently received a letter from him, in which he says:

"The applause of the little coterie of boys who used to run at large in the streets of Milwaukee in the '50's is dearer to me than the more substantial rewards. Your note, therefore of June 15, has givrn me more pleasure than anything I have received recently. I send you warm greetings, which I hope to renew many times in person when I return home, upon the expiration of my active service, now only a few years hence.

"In this connection I want you and all others to know that Milwaukee is my home; that my sons and myself represent Wisconsin in the army and navy, and that I look forward to spending what may be left to me of life. when I pass to the retired list, in the dear old town."

JANESVILLE MARKET PRICES

Quotations on Grain and Produce Are Reported for The Gazette.

The following figures show the range of prices in the local market. Corrected by P. H. Bump.

FLOUR—Retails at 90c@$1.05 per sack.
BRAN—Retails at 70c ₩100 lbs., $13.00 ₩ton.
MIDDLINGS—Retail at 70c ₩100 lbs.; $13.00 ₩ton
FEED—Retails at 70c ₩100 lbs.; $13.00 ₩ton.

WHEAT—Fair to best grades, 55@60c
BUCKWHEAT—$1.40@$1.60 ₩100 lbs.
RYE—Good demand at 52@55.
BARLEY—Ranges at 30c@37c, as per grade.
EAR CORN—$6.50 @ $8.00 per ton
OATS—Common to best, white, 21@22c.
BEANS—$1.25@$1.50 ₩bushel.
CLOVER SEED—$7.00@$7.50 ₩100 lbs.
TIMOTHY SEED—$2.00@$2.25 ₩100 lbs.
BUTTER—22c@23c.
EGGS—17@17c ₩dozen.
HAY—Timothy ₩ton, $9@$10.00; other kinds, $7.00@$8.00 ₩ton
STRAW—$4.50@$5.00 ₩ton.
POTATOES—20@25 ₩bushel
POULTRY—Chickens, dressed, 9@10c. Turkeys, 10@11c.
WOOL—Washed, 20c@22c; unwashed, 15c@17c
HIDES—Green, 6c@8c; dry, 8@10c;
PELTS—Quotable at 25@75c.
CATTLE—$3.00@$5.00 ₩cwt.
HOGS—$3.40@$3.75 ₩cwt.

Chicago Board of Trade.

Chicago, Dec. 12.—The following table shows the range of quotations on the board of trade today:

Articles.	High.	Low.	Closing.— Dec. 12.	Dec. 11.
Wheat—				
Dec ...	$ .65¾	$ .65¼	$ .65½	$ .65½
May ..	.69⅜	.68¾	.69	.69⅛
July ..	.70	.69⅝	.69⅝	.69¾
Corn—				
Dec ...	.30½	.30	.30½	.30⅜
Jan ...	.30⅞	.30½	.30⅞	.30¾
May ..	.32¾	.32½	.32¾	.32⅝
Oats—				
Dec ...	.22⅜	.22¼	.22¼	.22⅜
May ..	.24	.23⅞	.24	.24
Pork—				
Dec ...	8.75	8.70	8.75	8.67½
Jan ...	10.00	9.82½	10.00	9.82½
May ..	10.22½	10.07½	10.22½	10.05
Lard—				
Dec ...	5.15	5.10	5.15	5.10
Jan ...	5.40	5.35	5.40	5.35
May ..	5.60	5.55	5.60	5.55
Short ribs—				
Dec ...	5.22½	5.20	5.22½	5.22½
Jan ...	5.30	5.25	5.30	5.25
May ..	5.42½	5.37½	5.42½	5.37½

Electric Bell Substitute.

A substitute for an electric bell has been devised by a deaf couple. Not being able to hear the bell theinselves and having no servant, they have fixed up an arrangement by means of which, when the button at the front door is pressed, the electric lights all over the place light up, and remain so until the button is released. By a reversal of the arrangement, all the lights are switched off when the button is operated after dark.

Education in France.

The instruction of each student costs the French universities about 511 francs on an average. There are fifteen universities, with 27,080 students, of whom Paris has 12,057.

OUR . . .

Worsted Cheviots...

For men's clothing are deservedly popular. As the latest novelties appear we are always the first to have them.

Talk to Us About Wearing Apparel.

Trimmings always the best. Prices as low as good work can be done for.

Fit and Workmanship Guaranteed.

HERMAN ZANDER.

With Janesville Clothing Co. North window

Bargains In . . . **Confection!**

From Now Till Xmas.

Fancy Candy, 35 cents per pound box.
Mixed Candy, 8 cents per pound.
Fine line of Turkish Nougat.
Choice Dates, 8 cents per pound.
Mixed Nuts, 10 cents per pound.
Oranges, 20 cents a dozen and up.
Bananas, 10 cents a dozen and up.
Cigars, $1.00 per box and up.
Choice Grapes and all kinds of Fruit.

BONAHOOM & BACCASH

Fruit store, Hayes' Block.

Russian Women.

An English woman living in Russia says that there are no women who possess the social virtues of the cultivated Russian woman. Nothing ruffles her, she is past mistress of the art of entertaining tactfully, and in her salons there are broadmindedness and absolute democracy. The individual shines there by reason of his or her personal attractiveness and not because of station or money. It is apparent that Russia is the country of the social millennium.

Favorite Colors of Royalty.

The sultan of Turkey's favorite color is dark red. The German emperor likes his uniforms of blue and red, and covered with gold embroideries. The king of Greece, who dons his uniforms as seldom as possible, has a marked preference for light colors. The emperor of Austria has a preference for gray, while the emperor of Russia likes dark green uniforms, and the king of Italy, excepting the rare ocasion when he appears in a general's unform, generally wears black.

WANT COLUMN

SALESMAN WANTED—A thoroughly capable pushing man to obtain orders from doctors; established trade, work permanent, good pay. P. O. Box 1552, Philadelphia.

WANTED—Men to learn barber trade. No expense if you will work for us. Eight weeks completes. Just adopted plan that guarantees $60.00 monthly. This proposition never made before. Only open to graduates. Write today for particulars. Moler Barber College, Chicago, Ill.

FOR SALE—A new upright piano, good tone. fully warranted, for $150. Owner wants cash, but responsible parties can arrange for short time for part of it. Address J. C., care of Daily Gazette.

FOR SALE—House 166 South Main St. Enquire No. 2 Fourth avenue.

FOR RENT—Dwelling No. 12 Milton avenue Inquire H. G. Carter.

STATE OF WISCONSIN—County Court for Rock County—In probate:

Notice is hereby given that at a special term of the county court, to be held in and for said county, at the court house, in the city of Janesville, in said county, on the third Tuesday, being the 16th day of January, 1900, at 9 o'clock a. m., the following matter will be heard and considered:

The application of Fred L. Clemons for the adjustment and allowance of his account as administrator of the estate of John Crichton, late of the city of Janesville, in said county, deceased, and for the assignment of the residue of said estate to such other persons as by law are entitled thereto.—Dated Dec. 12, 1899.

By the Court,
J. W. SALE, County Judge.

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DENTISTRY.

Until January 1, 1900, Full Upper or Under Set of Teeth for $6.50. Gum sections or plain teeth, your choice, fully equal in every respect to any I ever made. Extracting and filling, moderate charges.

DR. S. H. GISH.

Stand From Under!

You will hear things drop. They have dropped. Groceries of all kinds have fallen. Read these prices for CASH only

19 lbs. best Granulated Sugar....................$1.00
Finest Japan Tea, per lb.......................... .50
Good Japan Tea, per lb............................ .30
(With every pound of Tea you get a present. No tickets, no trading stamps. See my display of gifts for the Holidays.)
Best Mocha and Java, only......................... .25
Best XXXX Coffee, per lb.......................... .10
Best No. 1 barrel Salt, only...................... .95
Choice Patent Flour............................... .90
Choice eating Potatoes............................ .30
7 bars Old Country Soap........................... .25
8 bars Santa Claus Soap........................... .25
(All other Soaps at cost.)
500 Holland Cabbage, very cheap.
N. Y. Champagne Cider, new, very cheap.
All Plug and Smoking Tobaccos at cost.
Fancy Pipes, Cigars and Smokers' articles for the Holidays, very cheap.
All Nuts and Candies, very cheap.

Buy Your Goods on River Street, of

W. TEA VAN KIRK,

Cheap Cash Grocer.

An Expert Upholsterer

Has just been employed by us. He is a capable man and can do all kinds of Upholstering in the best possible manner. We shall make a point of turning out this class of work promptly. Don't fail to get our prices before placing your order. We repair anything about the house and make anything in wood.

EVANS & CRANDALL.

110 East Milwaukee Street.

City Grocery and Bakery For Sale...

On account of my present sickness and upon the recommendation of my physicians I have decided to quit the retail business and therefore offer for sale my stock and fixtures at 107 West Milwaukee street. This stock is entirely new and is worth 100 cents on the dollar. I have a nice business that is mostly cash, and I would not part with it were it not for my health.

I also offer for sale my residence, No. 8 Oakland Ave.—a nice 8 room house.

BEAUMONT DeFOREST.

ALL KINDS OF . . . **COAL**

Except the poor kind, at prices as low as anybody can give on first quality. Try our....

POWELL'S RUN HOCKING COAL.

Unequaled for domestic use.

J. W. CARPENTER.

Both 'phones, 76. Near the Depot.

An Unusual Sale of Suits.

FOR MONDAY, TUESDAY AND WEDNESDAY.

WE are going to have a quiet little suit sale for this week. Mind you we do not advertise to sell $25 suits for $6.25 or any such tommyrot which every sensible person instantly recognizes as "fake" of the first water, but we are going to offer such bargains as an intelligent person who understands his business can offer to an intelligent public which is not to be befooled with mere words. We have arranged to sell out the remaining suits of a number of lots which have proven so satisfactory and sold so well that but few of each are left. In view of the fact that we have already done so wel with them and that there are but few left anyhow we are going to put on sale these

$18 and $20 Suits at $15

Which is very nearly at cost, but not below. It will not be necessary for us to lose money on these suits in order to get rid of them. They are not that sort. The materials are

Cassimeres and Tweeds,
Cheviots in fancy weaves and blue and black,
Plain and Fancy Worsteds,
And Serges in heavy and medium weights,

And your money back if you want it.

T. J. ZIEGLER.

E. J. SMITH, Manager.

Glorious Gift Carnival!

Showering the brightest rays on all. Hundreds of people will be benefitted with dependable goods from our stock. Why not you?

Handkerchiefs

in plain and fancy linens, silks in wide and narrow hems in plain white or fancy colors.

Gloves . . .

Silk lined or not, as you like. Suitable for Xmas gifts.

Neckwear to please the most fastidious, in square ends, four-in-hands, puffs, tecks, bat ends, clubs and bows. The largest selection of Mufflers in the city. These are always a very desirable present for a friend.

Shirts, Hosiery, Underwear, Caps, Umbrellas.

M'DANIELS & ACHTERBERG.

Tailors, Hatters and Furnishers. Opposite Post Office.

CHRISTMAS!

IS ALMOST HERE.

The happiest day of all the year. Always so many surprises, and doubly so if the gifts are selected from our overflowing stock of

Lamps, China Pieces, Bisque Novelties, Fancy Baskets, Pictures, Toys, Games, Books, Dolls, Glassware, Silverware, Fancy Boxes, Jardinieres, Picture Frames, Etc, Etc.

THE SAVINGS STORE

7 South Jackson Street.

Do you want Any Toys?

NOW, LISTEN!

How would you like to be the TOY MAN—just before Christmas?

RIDER'S RACKET STORE!

Is showing a greater variety of

HOLIDAY : PRESENTS!

For the children than ever before. The prices are no higher, but on many things lower. Earliest buyers get the best selections.

Our display of Staple Goods and Notions is not neglected at this time and is attractive in style and price.

Everybody come in. We sell almost everything and sell it cheap.

163 W. Milwaukee Street.

Piano Tuning.

MR. W. F. HURSEY, the tuning teacher at the State School for Blind, is prepared to do a limited amount of tuning and repairing in the city. He is a first-class workman. Leave orders by telephone.

H. F. BLISS, Supt.

We Solicit a Share of Your Patronage

We don't ask you to promise us all your trade, but we'd like to serve you occasionally just to show you how fairly we deal and the quality that we keep in our line. After you have tried us and found that you like our ways we would be pleased to have your regular patronage.

SOME INTERESTING PRICES:

10 bars of Kirk's Soap.......... 25c
Nice Cooking Figs, per lb....... 10c
Very fine Rice, per lb.......... 5c
Gold Dust, small package, 5c; 3 for 10c
Rosine Washing Powder, 3c; 2 for 5c
Bulk Mustard, per pt............ 5c
Raisins, per lb., upward from.... 5c
Monarch Catsup, large bottle.... 20c
Mrs. Lester's Mince Meat, per lb. 12½c
Dill Pickles, per doz........... 10c
Fine Table Syrup, per gal....... 25c
Fine Sorghum, per gal........... 50c
Atkins' best Salmon, large can... 10c
Log Cabin Buckwheat Flour, p'k'g 8c
Eddy & Eddy's 3-lb. package of Cold Water Starch, just as good as Elastic........ 19c
Pure Sweet Cider, per gal....... 25c

We make a specialty of Coffees, from 10 to 40 cents a pound.

Fancy line of Canned Goods, every can warranted.

C. A. THOMPSON.

Both 'Phones, 207. West Milwaukee Street.

REFUSES TO SETTLE PFENNIG POLICIES

CHICAGO INSURANCE COMPANY WANT PROOF OF DEATH.

Agent D. W. C. Merriam Was in Janesville Today Looking For Clues —Thinks That Pfennig is Alive— Consults William M. Pfennig and Chief of Police Hogan.

D. W. C. Merriman, agent for a life insurance company with headquarters in Chicago, was in Janesville today looking into the alleged death of Max Pfennig. William M Pfennig, son of Max Pfennig, had presented three $1000 life insurance policies to Mr. Merriman's company for payments alleging that Mr. Pfennig met death as the result of accidentally falling from the deck of a steamer into Lake Michigan somewhere between Ludington and Milwaukee.

Mr. Merriman on reaching the city went to the Grand Hotel. Then he consulted Chief of Police Hogan who furnished him with all the information that was on hand over the mysterious disappearance of Mr. Pfennig.

For fully an hour this morning Mr. Merriman was in consultation with Mr. Pfennig's son.

Mr Merriman stated that his company believe Max Pfennig alive and that until some positive proof of his death is furnished they refuse to pay to heirs the $3,000 life insurance policies. Mr. Merriman says that no proof is at hand as yet that would lead one to believe that Max Pfennig fell or jumped into Lake Michigan.

Rudolph H. Wieben, representing the Milwaukee Fire Insurance company as special agent arrived in Janesville this morning. Mr. Pfennig represented the Milwaukee company and the object of Mr. Wieben's visit is to look over his local accounts.

There have been no further developments in the Register of Deeds office and it is believed that the forged papers made public comprise all of that sort of paper filed in the office.

SUNDAY SCHOOL MEN OF PROMINENCE

ARRIVE IN JANESVILLE TO ATTEND MEETING.

Dr. C. C. Willet and Prof. H. S. Hammel—Interesting Session Scheduled For the Baptist Church This Evening—Sunday School Work to Be Discussed—Large Attendance.

Prof. H. S. Hammel of Jacksonville, Illinois, field secretary of the International Sunday School association arrived in Janesville today, and this evening will deliver an address at the Baptist church. His subject will deal with the best methods of conducting work in the Sunday schools.

Dr. C. C. Willett of Elkhorn, Wis., president of the Wisconsin Sunday School association, is also expected to be in attendance and deliver a short address. Dr. Willett and Prof. Hammel are both well known as strong advocates in all that pertains to the welfare of the Sunday school. They believe that it is with the children in the Sunday school that the good work of the church should be upheld the strongest.

"I don't know now just what my subject for this evening will be," said Prof. Hammel this afternoon, "but it will be a general talk to those interested in the work of the Sunday school. The lecture will commence at 7:30 o'clock."

RELIEF CORPS NEW OFFICERS

Mrs. Nellie Blakely Is Chosen As Department Delegate.

At a meeting of the Woman's Relief Corps held yesterday afternoon the following officers were elected for the ensuing year.

President—Ada P. Kimberley.
Senior Vice—Mary Wisner.
Junior Vice—Frances C. Dopp.
Secretary—Victoria Cotter.
Treasurer—Ella L. Wills.
Chaplain—Mary Dunwiddie.
Conductor—Mettie Collins.
Guard—Jennie Bidwell.

Mrs. Nellie Blakely was chosen as department delegate to attend the next department convention. Mrs. Mettie Collins was chosen as alternate.

FUNERAL OF MRS. HEISE

Many Attended Services This Afternoon From St. John's Church

Funeral services over the remains of the late Mrs. Gustav Heise were held from the home this afternoon at 1:30 o'clock and from St. John's German Lutheran church at 2:00 o'clock. The interment was in Oak Hill cemetery. At the church many sorrowful friends gathered to pay their last respects to one they loved. Many beautiful floral offerings were about the casket

Special Sale.

Commencing Thursday, Dec. 14, Mrs. M. E. Woodstock will give a slaughter sale of all goods in the store.

Hats in particular at half price. Ready-to-wear hats at sixty-five and seventy-five cents.

Children's caps at twenty-five cents. Plushes, silks, cords, plush balls, tassels and all fancy goods way below cost.

A beautiful line of ribbons to select from; also a ten and fifteen cent counter that will attract many buyers. All who have attended former sales at Mrs. Woodstock's will understand that this is the place to get Xmas bargains.

Busy People

Should read J. M. Bostwick & Son's ad. Many Christmas hints therein.

BRIEF BITS OF LOCAL GOSSIP

LANPHIER.

10 off. at Lanphier.

TALK to Lowell—books

TALK to Lowell—lamps.

TALK to Lowell—tinware.

WIDE AWAKE for holiday goods.

POTATOES, 25c bu. this week. Fleek's.

TALK to Lowell—fancy crockery.

TALK to Lowell—National cash register.

WIDE AWAKE sells holiday goods cheapest.

WANTED—500 pounds white rags at this office.

CHILD'S Bay State rubbers at Brown Bros.' 25 cents.

Wonderful display of holiday goods at the Wide Awake.

SECOND hand stoves bought and sold for cash. Lanphier.

THREE days of holiday shoe selling. Amos Rehberg & Co.

EVERY shoe $2.98 Friday and Saturday at Brown Bros.'

CHILD'S Bay State storm rubbers 30 cents at Brown Bros.'

WANTED—A seamstress. Call at 50 Court St. flats, room 3.

MISSES Bay State storm rubbers 35 cents at Brown Bros.'

ANOTHER $2.98 sale at Brown Bros.' Friday and Saturday.

How good our flour is, so the customers say. Dedrick Bros.

BEAUTIFUL line of fancy china at low prices. Skelly's book store.

YOU can save money buying your books at Skelly's book store.

LADIES' Bay State rubbers 40 cents at Brown Bros.' What did you pay?

LEAVE your orders for coal and wood with F. A. Taylor & Co., rink building.

LOWEST prices on all books and holiday goods at Sutherland's book store.

A FEW plush robes left at original prices. F. A. Taylor & Co., rink bld'g.

READ McDaniels & Achterberg's new ad on page 4 for Christmas suggestions.

EXTRA special for Christmas buyers Thursday, Friday and Saturday. Amos Rehberg & Co.

ATTEND our great holiday shoe sale, every day the balance of the week. Amos Rehberg & Co.

WE don't carry everything, only new attractive up-to-date holiday gifts. Skelly's book store.

DON'T forget us; prices that are business bargains; come tomorrow. Amos Rehberg & Co.

Two thousand dollars is being spent by the Hotel Myers proprietors in remodelling their annex.

PEOPLE seem to appreciate the quality and price of our maple sugar. A new lot coming. Dedrick Bros.

FOR SALE—Apply to John Thorough a good residence at 118 Madison street First ward, known as Trinity rectory.

WE still have the finest assortment of the finest apples in Janesville at from 25 to 45 cents a peck. Dedrick Bros.

OWING to the bad weather last week we are going to have another $2.98 sale on Friday and Saturday of this week. Brown Bros.

$1.50 slippers, all the best kinds and patterns, special sale price for Thursday, Friday and Saturday, $1.20. Amos Rehberg & Co.

CANDIES, nuts, raisins, dates, figs, grapes, etc., etc., etc., selected with special care as to quality. Cash prices at Dedrick Bros.

WANTED three or four furnished or partly furnished rooms for light housekeeping by small family. Heat included. Apply Gazette office.

THE second meeting of the Olive Branch Cinch club was held last evening with Mr. and Mrs. Bernard L. Dunwiddie, on Ravine street.

THERE will be a regular meeting of Janesville Chapter No. 69, O. E. D., Wednesday evening, Dec. 13, at 7:30 o'clock. Election of officers.

LET us sell you pocketbooks, purses, and bags tomorrow. You will make a big saving in price and have a big line to select from. Bort, Bailey & Co.

SPECIAL holiday sale Thursday, Friday and Saturday of this week. All kinds of slippers at your own price. Amos Rehberg & Co

THE Deestrick Skule will be played at the Harmony town hall Tuesday evening, Dec. 19th. Admission 10 cents. Everybody come and hear the speakin' pieces and readin' compositions. An hour and a half of hearty laugh.

FOR SALE—A limited amount of stock in one of the best paying business concerns in the city; is yielding large dividends annually. To a good business man a splendid opportunity is open. All correspondence strictly confidential. Address X, Gazette.

THE regular meeting of the Woman's Foreign Missionary society of the First M. E. church, will be held in the church parlors Friday, December 15, at three o'clock p. m. Members will please bring their conference and branch dues and special offering. Everybody welcome.

BY invitation of Mrs. Blodgett, a special meeting of the W. F. M. S. of Court Street M. E. church will meet at the house of Mrs. David Holmes, corner of South First and Park streets, diagonally opposite the new jail, at 3 o'clock on Thursday afternoon. A short program and envelopes will be opened. Street cars run within one block of the home.

THE Daughters of the American Revolution held the second meeting of the season Tuesday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Ogden H. Fethers. After the necessary business was attended to the chapter listened to an interesting literary program. Light refreshments were served. The first meeting at the home of Mrs. William G. Wheeler was also of great interest.

THOMAS S. NOLAN WANTS HEAVY DAMAGE

HE BROKE HIS ARM IN MILWAUKEE LAST JULY.

While Attending the Janesville Grocerymen's Picnic at Whitefish Bay He Received Fracture—Alleges it Was Fault of Electric Road Company—Claims Negligence.

Thomas S. Nolan, junior member of the West Milwaukee street grocery firm of Nolan Bros., has placed in the hands of Fethers, Jeffris & Mouat a suit for damages against the Milwaukee Electric Light and Railway company.

Mr. Nolan alleges that he fractured his left arm and was badly injured as the result of carelessness on the part of the Milwaukee street car company.

On July 20 last Mr. Nolan attended the Janesville grocerymen's picnic which was held at Whitefish Bay, a summer resort located on the shores of lake Michigan, on the north city limits of Milwaukee. After enjoying the picnic Mr. Nolan and four companions boarded an electric car for the purpose of spending the balance of the day in Milwaukee.

As they entered the car Mr. Nolan seated himself on the edge of the seat. He had his hands in the arm holes of his vest with his left elbow resting on the brass edge of the seat. When the car started suddenly ahead Mr. Nolan alleges that he struck his arm on the seat and it was fractured between the wrist and the elbow.

He further alleges that the company's physician, to whom he was taken, improperly set the bone, so that it did not heal and he is compelled to still carry it in a sling and that he is maimed for life.

MRS. Shrewd Buyer and the entire family have told us that they are going to buy shoes of us for $2.98 Friday and Saturday. They have been here before and know that the biggest bargains ever given on shoes in Janesville are when we have a $2.98 sale. Brown Bros.

STREET RAILWAY PAYING EXPENSES

SUPT. HURD TALKS FOR PUBLICATION TODAY.

Line as a Whole Has Made A Little Money This Winter—No Gold Mine Though—Forest Park Line Barely Manages to Keep Even—Several Improvements.

Superintendent Hurd of the Janesville street railway company, stated yesterday that the local line had not only been able to pay expenses this winter but that the line had made money.

But making money did not mean a fortune in this particular case. After expenses had been paid at the end of every month the amount of profit was comparatively small.

In speaking of the Forest Park line Superintendent Hurd says that patronage accorded this line has not been liberal during the present winter months and that the amount taken has been barely enough to meet expenses. Several improvements have been made on the cars including new brushes and vestibules. Considerable money was spent by the company in rebuilding the West Milwaukee street tracks from the bridge to High street. Superintendent Hurd says that the entire line is now in excellent shape and that business will be more brisk from now until spring. Several improvements are contemplated during the coming summer.

NEWS OF A PERSONAL NATURE

FREEMONT PAGE left for California today.

MRS. Frank Leonard of Chicago, is the guest of local friends.

DR. George W. Fifield attended the Ford-Wolf wedding in Chicago.

Miss Georgia Glidden is home, after spending the summer in Edgerton.

Dry Goods Stores to Open.

Commencing Wednesday, December 13, the dry goods stores will be open every evening until Christmas.

Buzzards' Feathers for Eagles.

According to a writer in Science, the demand for eagles' plumes to adorn ladies' hats has suddenly put the turkey buzzard in great jeopardy; because the supply of eagles not being equal to the demand, buzzards' feathers are substituted for those of the nobler bird.

Elbow Grease Electricity.

If all the electricity made by cleaning windows in the country, by rubbing the glass with a cloth, could be collected and stored, it would at once solve the smoke difficulty of all the railways by allowing the trains to be run by electric motors.

Historic Military Bodies.

Among military organizations are some independent companies of notable history. One of these is the Governor's Foot Guards of Hartford, Conn., two companies, an independent body, which was organized in 1770, under a charter, like the Ancient and Honorable Artillery Company of Boston, which was formed in 1636; the Newport Artillery company, formed in 1741; the Veteran Corps of Artillery of Philadelphia, organized in 1790, and constituting the Military Society of the War of 1812, and the Philadelphia City Troop, which was organized just before the war of the revolution.

NEWS OF THE DAY IN TOWN

REMEMBER the Imperial band dance at the armory tomorrow night.

POCKET books and purses of all kinds at special paice tomorrow. Bort, Bailey & Co.

J. M. BOSTWICK & SONS will make Friday handkerchief day. Look on page 2.

FRIDAY and Saturday take your choice of our big stock of fine shoes for $2.98. Brown Bros.

WARM underwear makes good Christmas present. Don't fail to see our line if interested. T. P. Burns.

PROF. SMITH'S orchestra of eight pieces will play for the Imperial band dance tomorrow evening.

IT will do you good to see the "hobo" band parade tomorrow evening before the big Imperial band masquerade.

POCKETBOOKS, purses and hand bags worth up to 75c go at the special sale tomorrow for 47c. Bort, Bailey a Co.

WANTED—Stenographer and bookkeeper for Jeffris, Wisconsin office. Inquire No. 8 North River street. D. K. Jeffris.

OUR stock of fine patent bathers and enamels is complete, but we put them all in at $2.98 Friday and Saturday. Brown Bros.

ATTEND the special sale of Mrs. Woodstock's, commencing December 14th and continuing through the holidays. All ribbons at cost.

IF the weather prevented you last week from taking advantage of our $2.98 sale we'll give you another chance on Friday and Saturday of this week. Brown Bros.

WHEN you can have your choice of our $3.50, $4.00 and $5.00 shoes for $2.98, who's the gainer. Common sense tells you. Brown Bros, Friday and Saturday.

Two big musical features—Smith's orchestra of ten pieces and the "hobo" brass band, will make everything merry at the Imperial band masquerade tomorrow night.

WISHING to move my office to the Hayes block I offer for sale cheap all my office furniture including office desk, bookcase, medicine cases, chairs, etc. Dr. Q. O. Sutherland.

FRESH teas and coffees arriving all the time from the best of roasters and bleachers. No danger of getting goods here that have lost their flavor. Bates Cash Tea Co.

SPECIAL sale tomorrow on ladies' and gent's pocket books, purses, card cases, bill books, chatelaine bags, and hand bags. One thousand different styles, from 5 cents to $4 each. Bort, Bailey & Co.

WE show the biggest line of Christmas dry goods ever brought to the city and the line of pocketbooks that we sell at cut prices tomorrow is only one of the many lines which we propose to sell at the same great bargains this year. Bort, Bailey & Co.

THIS is a bona fide closing out sale. I have purchased the Quatsoe stock at 60c on the dollar with the intention of closing it out. Everything must be sold. Men's $4 and $5 shoes, new toes, all sizes, box calf, patent leathers, vici-kid, all leather lined, going at $2.45. Ladies' $3 50 and $4 shoes going at $2.25. $8,000 worth of footwear of all kinds to be sacrificed. W. A. Nichols, successsr to F. L. Quatsoe.

Two Killed by Gas Explosion.

Victoria, B. C., Dec. 13.—By the explosion of gas Monday in the Cumberland mines two men were killed and a number wounded. The gas was released from an unknown feeder through the subsidence of the roof and was ignited by a torch carried by the miners.

Urges Claims on Turkey.

Berlin, Dec. 13.—A Constantinople telegram says the American ambassador has made energetic representations regarding the compensation for damages sustained by American subjects and missions under American protection during the Armenian troubles.

Michigan State Grange.

Lansing, Mich., Dec. 13.—The Michigan state grange met in annual session Tuesday, with a large number of delegates present. The growth of the order in the state during the last year has been nearly 50 per cent.

Anti-Trust Men Fix the Date.

Chicago, Dec. 13.—Lincoln's birthday, Feb. 12, has been fixed upon as the date on which the national anti-trust convention is to be held in this city.

Christmas Goods

Handkerchiefs, The nicest line in the city, from 1c to $3 each. Extra line of linen embroidered handkerchiefs, both escaloped and hemmed edge at 25 cents.

Fans in Japanese and silk from 25c to $1.

Purses, new designs, from 15c to 75c.

Pretty Line of Gift Articles for infants, such as Cloaks, Blankets, Silk Bonnets, Jackets, Bootees and Mittens.

We Want You to See what we have to offer you in many desirable Xmas articles.

HELEN SERVATIUS.

TELEGRAPH HERE TO DAWSON CITY

JANESVILLE POSTAL OFFICE IS NOTIFIED.

Line is Now Open So That Communication From the Bower City to the Klondike May be Had—Charges Are Not So High as One Might Expect.

Local residents having friends in the Klondike region of Alaska can now communicate with them by telegraph from Janesville.

G. C. Zachow, local manager of the Postal Telegraph Cable Co., has received notice from his superintendent that the "Postal" has completed its line to the Klondike, covering all points in that region, and are now prepared to accept telegrams for all such points. Telegrams will be transmitted by telegraph to Seattle, Washington; Vancouver, B. C., or Victoria, B. C., and forwarded by first steamer to Skagway and thence transmitted over government telegraph lines to destination.

As to the cost of a ten word message from Janesville to Dawson City, Agent Zachow said "The cost will not be as high as one might suppose. For ten words I don't think it will be over one dollar. As yet I have received no price list."

THREE DRUNKS SENTENCED

All Went to Bastile in Default of Necessary Cash.

John Griffin and Thomas Nash were before the municipal court this morning on the charge of being drunk. They went to jail in default of cash for a period of ten days each. John Mulcairns was before the court on the same charge and received a twelve day sentence.

ALL kinds of music and "fun" tomorrow evening at the Imperial band masquerade dance.

XMAS Kodaks

Many styles and sizes to select from.

The prices range from $2.50 to $35.00.

The latest out is a Winner.

The No. 2 FLEXO KODAK,

Price $5 00, 25 p.c. off $3.75, for 3½x3½ pictures, loads and unloads in daylight with Eastman's Film Cartridges. It is a beauty. We anticipate a large demand for the Flexo.

Place your order at once. Call anyway and see our immense line of

Holiday Goods

SMITHS' PHARMACY.

KODAK AGENTS.

Two Registered Pharmacists.

Low Prices on MUSICAL INSTRUMENTS

FOR THE HOLIDAYS.

Violins $4.50 and up.
Mandolins $4.50 and up.
Guitars $4.50 and up.
Banjos $4.50 and up.
Autoharps $3.50 and up.
Guitar Zithers $3 50 and up.
Accordians $3.50 and up.
Pianos and Organs at extra low prices.

S. C. Burnham & Co.

Jewelers and Music Dealers.

J. P. THORNE, M. D.

Eye, Ear, Nose, Throat & Chest

Glasses of all kinds accurately fitted

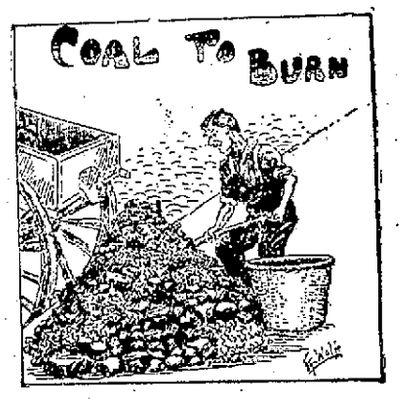
New Office over Ziegler's clothing store northeast corner Milwaukee and Main Streets, Janesville.

50 cents OR $50.00

Or any sum between. If you have calculated on spending some fixed amount for an Xmas gift TELL US and we will suggest something appropriate and give you the most for your money in quality, style and durability that the price mentioned will buy.

HALL, SAYLES & FIFIELD.

"The Reliable Jewelers."



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Good Coal costs more money than poor Coal.

We have good Coal.

We also have Crushed Coke, nut size, for your kitchen range, at $6.50 per ton.

JANESVILLE COAL CO.

Order Office, Riverside Laundry. 'Phone 89

Occasionally you will find a store, or other place of business, so far behind the times as to be without a telephone. The telephone facilitates the transaction of business and draws custom, as nothing else can. People like to deal with those who consider no appliance too expensive, so long as it adds to the comfort of a patron.

To which class do you belong.

Residence Telephone Rate, $1 per month.

LONG DISTANCE TELEPHONE

Apply to Alfred Slater, local manager, Carle Blk, East Milwaukee Street.

WISCONSIN TELEPHONE CO.

PIANOS!

At wholesale. No middlemen's profits; only one price to all. Buy from the makers and save money. Terms—Cash if you can spare; time if you need it.

Write for catalogue.

HALLET & DAVIS PIANO CO.

239—241 Wabash Ave., Chicago, Ill.

FOR SALE.

The homestead of the late Lemuel Paul, consisting of 97 acres. This is a fine dairy and tobacco farm, with fine improvements, 11 room house, large barns with stancels for 50 cows and ten stalls for horses; 3 good wells of water and one cistern. Shed for 10 acres of tobacco and two good hay barns. All in the city limits except 20 acres; this is to settle the estate and will be sold cheap.

Ten acres of tobacco land in city limits, cheap.

The property of the late Mrs. Ames, cor. of Pleasant and Franklin Sts., being 132 ft. on Franklin and 102 ft. on Pleasant Streets. There are four residence buildings on the property, all well rented, and will be sold cheap to close the estate.

A fine house in the third ward with modern improvements, well located. Price $2400 This is a Bargain.

7 vacant lots, well located, cheap.

The property known as the **Allen Property** fronting on South Third, Wisconsin and and East Sts. This is among the finest vacant property in the city and will be sold cheap.

Farm of 30 acres inside city limits with fine improvements. This is fine tobacco land.

D. W. WATT, Hayes' Block, Cor Main & Milwaukee.

....Chinese Hand Laundry....

We wash everything by hand and turn out the best work in the city. Lowest prices Shirts, 8c; Cuffs, 4c; Collars, 2c.

207 West Milwaukee St. **LEE SING.**

New Christmas Gifts.

Just received from New York, a new line of Pillows, Smoking Pillows, Purses, Slippers, Photo Frames, and other Christmas novelties You may come here to do your fancy work Lessons, 15 cents per hour.

MISS M. J. CURRY.

69 W. Milwaukee Street.

CAPTURE GANG OF BRIGANDS.

Guerrilla Warfare the Problem in the Philippines.

HARSH MEASURES NECESSARY.

It Is Believed Those Captured Will Be Speedily Tried and Executed—Gen. Otis Says Organized Rebellion Is Ended.

Manila, Dec. 13.—Col. Smith, with a detachment of the Seventeenth infantry, surrounded and captured in a village near Malasqui a party of guerrillas that had made headquarters there. The party included the band which assassinated seven officials at Malasqui for friendliness to the Americans. All are insurgents who became bandits when the disintegration of the Filipino army began. They kept the country around Malasqui in a state of terror for several weeks, and committed twenty-five murders in less than that number of days. When they were caught they were promptly sent to Gen. MacArthur's headquarters at Bayombong by train. It is expected that they will be speedily tried and either shot or hanged as an example.

The whole country north of San Fernando and Manila, except within the permanent line of troops around the city and the closely patrolled stretches of railroad, swarms with similar bands. Probably they will be increased by men from Pilar's army, many of whom are making their way south to join the insurgent force in Cavite province.

Only a small proportion of the insurgent arms have been surrendered, and the problem of suppressing this guerrilla warfare is anything but easy of solution. Some of the American officers think it worse than fighting Indians, owing to the difficulties of the country and the trouble in locating the enemy, who resort, when hard pressed, to the amigo dodge, and hide their guns.

Some of the Americans favor the issuance of a proclamation declaring all natives found with arms to be bandits, punishable as criminals, instead of being treated as prisoners of war.

Information has been received at headquarters that 500 Spanish prisoners have been shipped from Vigan to Manila, and that 1,500 others have been assembled in Vigan, including Gen. Pena. Probably these are Spaniards released by Gen. Young's troops in the Benguet district, where they were concentrated by the insurgents.

It warms up the heart like sunshine cheers the soul like old wine, gives hope for the future, blots out the past. That's what Rocky Mountain tea will do. Smith's Pharmacy, Kodak Agents.

GOV. TAYLOR IS INSTALLED.

Ceremonies at Frankfort, Ky., Attended by a Small Crowd.

Frankfort, Ky., Dec. 13.—William S. Taylor was installed as governor at noon Tuesday. The crowd was much smaller than in past years, due to the cold weather. The ceremonies were simple. Retiring Governor Bradley, in the course of his speech, said he hoped the Goebel election law, which had brought so much turmoil to the state, would be wiped from the statute books.

Gov.-Elect Taylor in his address said:

"The verdict rendered by the people last November was the mandate of the people in favor of civil liberty. It was the triumph of the people over the merciless, remorseless partisan machine, erected to enslave them."

He said one of the chief aims of his administration would be to secure the repeal of the election law. The oath of office was administered to Gov. Taylor by Chief Justice Hazelrigg. The lately defeated democratic candidates for state offices began serving notices of contests against the republican candidates, who were given certificates of election last week. Several have been served.

Indiana Democrats Active.

Indianapolis, Dec. 13.—The democratic state central committee met here Tuesday and determined to enter upon the work of organizing the party for the campaign of 1900 with the opening of the new year. The district meetings at which members of the new state committee will be chosen were ordered to be held Jan. 17. There was unanimity of expression in favor of the old issues of 1896, with anti-imperialism and anti-trust planks added, and the name of W. J. Bryan, who was referred to as the undoubted leader in the coming campaign, evoked much applause.

Woman Witness Prostrated.

Marshall, Mich., Dec. 13.—Marie Robertson, the star witness for the prosecution in the trial of Mrs. Marie Sanderson, charged with attempting to murder her husband by feeding him ground glass, continued her testimony Tuesday. She stated that Mrs. Sanderson began feeding pounded glass to her husband two weeks before he died, giving him a teaspoonful in his porridge every morning. When asked if she knew that she was equally guilty with Mrs. Sanderson, if her evidence was true, she broke down.

As a cure for rheumatism Chamberlain's Pain Balm is gaining a wide reputation. D. B. Johnston of Richmond, Ind., has been troubled with that ailment since 1862. In speaking of it he says: "I never found anything that would relieve me until I used Chamberlain's Pain Balm. It acts like magic with me. My foot was swollen and paining me very much, but one good application of Pain Blam relieved me." For sale by Smith's Pharmacy, next to post office, kodak agents.

THE PAINTERS ARE HEARD.

American Federation Hears Details of the Factional Trouble.

Detroit, Mich., Dec. 13.—The fight between the opposing factions of the painters and decorators of America occupied the greater part of the time of the convention of the American Federation of Labor Tuesday. The matter was not settled at the time of adjournment.

Susan B. Anthony addressed the convention in the afternoon. She asked the delegates to go home and vote for the enfranchisement of women. The matter is in the hands of the committee on resolutions.

The convention indorsed a resolution referring to the lockout of the piano and organ workers of Chicago. It provides for the sending out of circulars to dealers and buyers asking them to decline to handle the product of piano and organ manufacturers who are engaged in a conflict with their employes.

The report of the executive board was read by Secretary Frank Morrison. It dealt with the work of the national officers since the last convention. A feature of the report was the declared opposition of the board to indiscriminate boycotting.

On recommendation of the resolutions committee the executive council was empowered to take action in investigating the Idaho labor-military troubles. A flood of resolutions was introduced, covering nearly every subject of interest to labor interests.

Neither President Gompers nor First Vice-President McGuire has arrived. It is said that Mr. Gompers' injury was of a more serious character than at first supposed.

The fraternal delegates from England and Canada will address the convention today.

A CARD

We, the undersigned, do hereby agree to refund the money on a 50 cent bottle of Greene's Warranted Syrup of Tar if it fails to cure your cough or cold. We also guarantee a 25-cent bottle to prove satisfactory or money refunded.

J. P. Baker, Geo. E. King & Co.,
E. B. Heimstreet. E. O. Smith & Co.,
People's Drug Co., H. E. Ranous & Co.
Janesville, Wis.

British Warships at Gibraltar.

Gibraltar, Dec. 13.—The particular service squadron of the British fleet has arrived in Gibraltar bay to take the place of the channel squadron, which sailed Dec. 7 for England. The squadron includes seven cruisers and the battleship Canopus, with a combined tonnage of about 51,000 and an armament of eighty-six guns.

To Cure La Grippe in 24 Hours.

No remedy equals Warner's White Wine of Tar Syrup for this terrible and fatal disease. If taken thoroughly and in time, it will cure a case in 24 hours, and for the cough that follows La Grippe it never fails to give relief. Price, 25c and 50c. People's Drug Co.

Japan Preparing to Fight Russia.

London, Dec. 13.—A dispatch to the Dalziel agency from Shanghai says:

"It is reported on what is believed to be good authority that the Japanese are chartering steamers for transport service and that great activity prevails in Japanese military circles. It is rumored that preparations are complete for dispatching a force to Korea and probably Masamano, concerning which a dispute recently arose between Japan and Russia as to the possession of some land there. The Russian government is further said to have ordered four cruisers to Masampo."

Big Sugar Company Formed.

Dover, Del., Dec. 13.—Preparations have been begun for the incorporation here of a $100,000,000 combine, to be known as the Colonial Sugar Refining company. Large sugar-making companies now outside the American Sugar Refining company, which operates under the New Jersey laws, are concerned in this new Delaware corporation. Its specific object is to extend the sugar industry in the islands of Hawaii, Porto Rico and Cuba.

Sacrificed to Blood Poison.

Those who have never had Blood Poison can not know what a desperate condition it can produce. This terrible disease which the doctors are totally unable to cure, is communicated from one generation to another, inflicting its taint upon countless innocent ones.

Some years ago I was inoculated with poison by a nurse who infected my babe with blood taint. The little one was unequal to the struggle, and its life was yielded up to the fearful poison. For six long years I suffered untold misery. I was covered with sores and ulcers from head to foot, and no language can express my feelings of woe during those long years. I had the best medical treatment. Several physicians successively treated me, but all to no purpose. The mercury and potash seemed to add fuel to the awful flame which was devouring me. I was advised by friends who had seen wonderful cures made by it, to try Swift's Specific. We got two bottles, and I felt hope again revive in my breast—hope for health and happiness again. I improved from the start, and a complete and perfect cure was the result. S. S. S. is the only blood remedy which reaches desperate cases.

MRS. T. W. LEE,
Montgomery, Ala.

Of the many blood remedies, S. S. S. is the only one which can reach deep-seated, violent cases. It never fails to cure perfectly and permanently the most desperate cases which are beyond the reach of other remedies.

S.S.S. For The Blood

is PURELY VEGETABLE, and is the only blood remedy guaranteed to contain no mercury, potash, or other mineral.

Valuable books mailed free by Swift Specific Company, Atlanta, Georgia.

Take Bristol's FOR TORPID LIVER
The best of all for Biliousness, Dyspepsia and all Stomach Disorders.
ALL THE LEADING DRUGGISTS
Pills

DYING BY THOUSANDS.

Black Death Raging—Its Victims Do Not Realize Their Danger Until Too Late.

A disease as terrible as the pestilence known as the "Black Death" is now raging in this country. The victim often does not know that he is sick until it is too late to cure. The disease is not known by this name, nor have its characteristics and fatal results been fully recognized until recently.

The disease referred to saps the vitality, energy and ambition, makes people languid, dizzy, despondent and nervous, absent minded and forgetful; they complain of weak, aching back, palpitation of the heart, capricious appetite, tire easily, fear impending trouble, urine contains sediment on standing, frightful dreams, involuntary discharges, nervous debility and weakness, sometimes resulting in paralysis, insanity, etc.; in fact, the spring of vital force having lost its tension, every function of life wanes in consequence.

This destructive disease, which causes premature death to thousands every year, is not understood by the medical profession in general, and persons suffering from it are often treated for some affection of the stomach, heart, lungs, liver, kidneys, etc.; while in fact the disease is due to lost vitality, often the result of indiscretions and excesses, exposure or hard work in early life. The disease affects both young and middle-aged, unfitting them for the duties of life, rendering business a failure, marriage unhappy and life a burden. Anyone suffering from this widespread disease should *at once* consult some eminent specialist before it is too late.

Dr. N. E. Wood, the eminent author and celebrated specialist of Chicago, has given this disease close and careful study, and has had a very large and successful experience in its treatment, and is the author of several popular medical works regarding the disease. He is also president of the Chicago Medical and Surgical Institute, and treats all forms of blood and nervous diseases of men.

He will visit Janesville [illegible] December 16, for free consultation with the afflicted, at the Hotel [illegible] (one day only). He will also mail booklets and question lists free to those who are unable to call on in person. His home address is 517 LaSalle Avenue, Chicago.

BELLAVITA Arsenic Beauty Tablets and Pills

This Complexion Treatment is a guaranteed specific, perfectly safe and sure in its action, for the removal of various disorders of the skin, viz: Pimples, Blotches, Freckles, Sunburn, Discolorations, Eczema, Blackheads, Roughness, Redness, and restores the Bloom of Youth to faded faces. Boxes containing 10 days' treatment 50c 30 days' treatment, $1.00; six boxes $5.00 with positive written guarantee to produce the above results or cheerfully refund $5.00 paid. Sent by mail on receipt of price. Send for circular.

Nervita Medical Co., Clinton & Jackson Sts. Chicago, Illinois.
Sold by all Druggists
Sold by H. E. Ranous & Co., Janesville.

A Fine Jewelry Store in Your House

We mean it. Our catalogue does it. All goods ordered sent at our expense, subject to your approval. Inspect them in your home. Write immediately. Mention this paper.

GEO. E. MARSHALL,
Columbus Memorial Bldg., State and Washington Streets, Chicago.

Soft Finish Goods

Are the most popular this season for dressy men. We have an elegant assortment of patterns. Each is an exclusive pattern—no two alike.

We Want to Call Your Attention

To the fact that we use only the very best of trimmings in all our work.

Our prices are:

Overcoats from $20 up.
Suits from $20 up.
Pants from $ 5 up.

Every garment is strictly Union made and satisfaction positively guaranteed.

JNO. M. KNEFF, THE TAILOR.
Carpenter Block, over Archie Reid & Co.'s.

A STORE CHOCK FULL OF.....

Holiday Goods

Not only full but running over, and we have enough goods in our cellar to stock another store. That's what you want when you "go shopping." You'll find the assortment here that will please you—something for every member of the family.

Lamps. We have plenty of them and the prices are right. Extra globes in all shades and sizes.

Albums. Some very nice ones in striking colors and best materials from $1.25 up.

Toilet Sets. Nice assortment at prices very moderate, from 98c up.

Stationery. We are showing a pretty line of fancy stationery that will make most desirable presents.

Perfumes. Delicate odors in fancy bottles at prices lower than you have to pay in most stores.

Bisque Novelties from 10c up.

Handkerchief Boxes Glove Boxes, necktie boxes, collar and cuff boxes, etc.

Toys in endless quantities.

Odd China Pieces, the best ware and the latest shapes and decorations.

Jardinieres A large line at most any price you wish to pay.

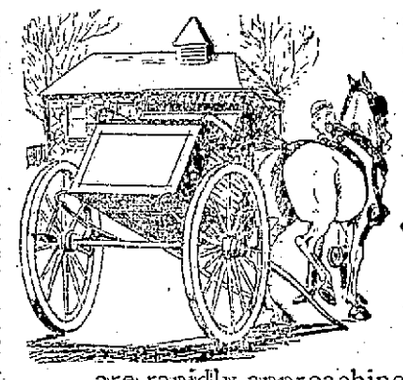
THE WIDE AWAKE.

W. W. EMMONS CO, Props

Special Prices On Buggies. . .

From now until January 1st. If you are in the market for a vehicle of any kind don't buy until you see what we have to offer you.

Backing Up



our statements with the goods described is one of our strong points. We don't invite you here to look at something we haven't got, nor show anything of doubtful quality.

As Winter And Snow

are rapidly approaching we just wish to mention that we have a full line of Runners to fit any delivery wagon, carriage or vehicle of any kind.

This Cold Snap

Reminds one quite forcibly that they need to get all the heat out of fuel possible. There is no other way to get full value than by using a

Rochester Radiator...

Scientists inform us that 60 to 80 per cent. of the heat from a Stove is wasted up a chimney. If you doubt this go on the roof and hold your hand over the chimney. Stop this leak by using

A Rochester Radiator

You would not tolerate such a loss in any other branch of your business or household.

½ SAVE YOUR FUEL

By using THE ROCHESTER (stove pipe) RADIATOR with its 120 CROSS TUBES where 4806 sq. in. of iron get intensely hot, thus making One stove or furnace do the work of Two.

"No invention of recent years will do so much for domestic economy and comfort."
—*Scientific American*

FOR SALE BY

C. H. BELDING.

Fur Orders

We will be ready for orders for fur garments, etc. after the 18th or 20th of this month.

Old Furs Made Over

and fixed into collarettes, etc.

L. S. Hillabrandt

5 Court Street.

Proper Shoe Repairing

requires carefulness and constant watchfulness. I make this a study and guarantee every piece of work that goes out.

Rubber Heeling and Rubber Patching a specialty.

60 SOUTH MAIN ST. **O. P. BRUNSON.**

Suggestion for Digestion

Eat HOCKETT'S Boston Ideal Fried Cakes.

JUST IN.

A new invoice of Oxford Vicunas, Cheviots and Worsted Suitings,

FROM $12.00 UP.

And the finest Fits that have ever been turned out in the city. You run no risk in dealing here.

Everything is positively guaranteed, or your money back at

ALLEN'S.

Next to Rock County Bank. East Side.

Magnetic Treatment

Is NO FAITH CURE or SPIRITUALISM.

Remove that forever from your mind. It is simply

Nature's Own Remedy

For the cure of neuralgia, rheumatism, paralysis, spinal troubles, catarrh, deafness, female troubles or **any disease** where there is enough flesh and blood left to build up on.

PROF. I. EUGENE DENNIS

Grubb Block. New 'Phone, 554.

Suggestion for Digestion.

Eat HOCKETT'S Boston Ideal Fried Cakes

STATE OF WISCONSIN—County Court for Rock County—In the matter of the Estate of James D. Holmes, deceased—In probate.

NOTICE OF SALE—Notice is hereby given that by virtue and in pursuance of an order of license made in said matter by the County Court of Rock County on the 5th day of December, 1899, the undersigned, Stella A. Holmes, executrix, will, on Friday, the 6th day of January, 1900, at 2 o'clock in the afternoon, at the front door of the court house in the city of Janesville, Rock county, Wisconsin, offer for sale at public auction the following described lands, situated in the county of Rock, in the state of Wisconsin, to wit:

(1). Lots number thirty-six (36), thirty-eight (38), thirty-nine (39), fifty-seven (57), fifty-eight (58) and sixty-four (64), in East Park addition to Tillmann Park, as appears on file and record in the office of the register of deeds for the county of Rock, in the state of Wisconsin.

(2). Also a certain other piece or parcel of land lying and being in the county of Rock, in the state of Wisconsin, known and distinguished as a part of lot number forty-one (41) in Pease's addition to Janesville, bounded on the north by a line parallel to Glen street and eight (8) rods northerly therefrom, on the east by a line parallel to Augusta street and four (4) rods easterly therefrom, on the south by Glen street and on the west by Augusta street, containing one-fifth (1-5) of an acre of land.

The terms of sale will be cash.

Dated December 11, 1899.

STELLA A. HOLMES,
Executrix.

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S. Bishop, Attorney.

STATE OF WISCONSIN—CIRCUIT COURT FOR ROCK COUNTY—John Bentson vs. Thomas Connelly.

By virtue of and pursuance to a judgment and decree of foreclosure and sale entered and docketed in the above entitled action in the office of the clerk of said court, at the city of Janesville in said Rock county on the 4th day of November, 1898, the undersigned will offer for sale and sell at public auction on the 20th day of January, 1900, at 2 o'clock in the afternoon of that day, and in front of the court house in said city of Janesville in said Rock county, the premises hereinafter described, or so much thereof as may be necessary to raise the sum due on said judgment with interest and expense of sale. The premises are described as follows, to-wit:

The southwest quarter of the northwest quarter, and the northeast quarter of the southwest one-quarter, and the north fifteen acres of the northwest quarter of the southwest quarter of Section three (3) town three (3) range fourteen (14) east, all in Rock county, Wisconsin.—Dated at Janesville Dec. 6, 1899.

W. H. APPLEBY,
Sheriff of Rock Co.

S. BISHOP,
Plaintiff's Attorney.

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NOTICE TO CREDITORS—State of Wisconsin—County Court for Rock County—In Probate.

Notice is hereby given that at a special term of the County Court to be held in and for said county, at the court house, in the city of Janesville, in said county, on the third Tuesday of June, A. D. 1900, being June 19th, 1900, at nine o'clock a. m., the following matters will be heard, considered and adjusted:

All claims against Philander Nash, late of the town of Magnolia, in said county, deceased.

All claims must be presented for allowance to said court at the court house, in the city of Janesville, in said county, on or before the 6th day of June, 1900, or be barred.

Dated December 6th, 1899.

By the Court,
J. W. SALE,
County Judge.

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NOTICE TO CREDITORS—State of Wisconsin—County Court for Rock County—In Probate.

Notice is hereby given that at a regular term of the county court, to be held in and for said county, at the court house, in the city of Janesville, in said county, on the first Tuesday of June, A. D. 1900, being June 5, 1900, at nine o'clock a. m., the following matters will be heard, considered and adjusted:

All claims against John Schicker, late of the city of Janesville, in said county, deceased.

All such claims must be presented for allowance to said Court, at the Court House, in the city of Janesville, in said county, on or before the 21st day of May, A. D. 1900, or be barred.—Dated Nov. 21, 1899.

By the Court,
J. W. SALE,
County Judge.

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TO HOLD NIGHT SESSIONS.

More Time Allowed for Debate on Currency Bill.

GROSVENOR'S STRONG SPEECH.

Ohio Congressman Warmly Supports the Measure—Democrats and Silver Republicans in Opposition—Senator Pettigrew Wants Information.

Washington, Dec. 13.—The debate on the currency bill continued in the house Tuesday. Owing to the pressure for opportunity to speak on the Democratic side, Mr. Richardson, the minority leader, asked that night sessions be held for the remainder of the week, but this was demurred to, and it was finally agreed that night sessions for debate should be held Wednesday, Thursday and Friday.

Mr. Grosvenor (Ohio) was the first speaker Tuesday. He reviewed the democratic predictions in the last campaign, prophesying no relief but continued falling prices, 10-cent corn, 25-cent wheat, 3-cent cotton and general distress, until free silver came, and then described how prosperity followed McKinley's election and the restoration of confidence.

The democrats predicted we would have no foreign trade, he said. That trade was now larger than at any period in our history. Another prediction was contraction of the currency. The currency had increased $400,000,000 in three years. Referring to the question of anti-trust legislation, he challenged any democrat to point out any addition which could be made constitutionally to the Sherman anti-trust law. He dissented entirely from Mr. Bryan's remedy. He contended that congress could not assail corporations in the states; that the states should control and regulate their own domestic affairs.

Mr. Newlands (Nev.) followed Mr. Grosvenor in opposition to the bill. He said the increase of prosperity during the last two years demonstrates the correctness of the theory entertained by bimetallists—viz., that, all other things being equal, prices will depend upon the quantity of money in circulation.

Mr. Shafroth (Col.) opposed the bill.

Mr. Parker (N. J.) in support of the bill argued that the pending question should not be a party one.

Mr. William Alden Smith (Mich.) spoke in advocacy of the bill.

Mr. Prince (Ill.), who was a member of the banking and currency committee in the last congress, presented a careful argument in favor of the bill.

Mr. Cochran (Mo.) opposed the bill in a vigorous speech, in which he contended that the real question presented by the pending bill was whether there was sufficient gold in the world upon which to pyramid the vast and constantly increasing volume of credit. There was not enough gold in the world, he said, to do the business of the world.

Mr. Sims (Tenn.) spoke in opposition to the bill.

Mr. Driggs (N. Y.) was the first democrat to speak in favor of the bill. His speech was devoted largely to a definition of his position on the money question, and he announced that he would remain a consistent democrat save only upon the question of free coinage.

Mr. Powers (Vt.) and Mr. Lawrence (Mass.) supported the bill.

Mr. Grosvenor (Ohio) announced the death of the late Representative Denford of Ohio, and, as a further mark of respect, the house adjourned.

PETTIGREW IS AFTER DEWEY.

Resolution in Senate to Inquire Into His Course Toward Filipinos.

Washington, Dec. 13.—Whether Admiral Dewey, acting for the United States government, formally or informally recognized the Philippine republic at Manila, is a question which Mr. Pettigrew of South Dakota desires the navy department to answer. He introduced a resolution Tuesday directing the secretary of the navy to supply the senate with information on the subject, but Mr. Chandler of New Hampshire objected to its immediate consideration.

Resolutions were reported favorably from the committee authorizing the committee on privileges and elections to proceed with investigations of the election to the senate of W. A. Clark of Montana and N. B. Scott of West Virginia. The resolutions were adopted.

Mr. Cullom's bill providing a form of government for Hawaii was sent to the committee on foreign relations. At 1:40 the senate adjourned as a mark of respect to the late Congressman Ermentrout of Pennsylvania.

Sibley Offers a Bond Bill.

Washington, Dec. 13.—Representative Sibley of Pennsylvania introduced a bill providing that any holder of United States bonds may deposit them in the treasury and receive 80 per cent of the face of such bonds in treasury notes, with a certificate of deposit covering such bonds. The treasury notes are to be receivable the same as national bank notes. During the deposit of the bonds they shall not draw interest, and they may be withdrawn on presentation of the certificate of deposit and notes equal to the amount deposited.

Will Mark Alaska's Boundary.

Washington, Dec. 13.—The government of Great Britain has designated F. King, the government astronomer at Ottawa, as the representative of her majesty's government in the delimitation of the provisional boundary line between Alaska and Canada about the head of Lynn canal, under the terms

"STOP THIEF!"

It is an old trick among the light-fingered fraternity to divert attention from themselves by raising the cry of "stop thief" and so putting the public on a false scent.

There is a certain kind of advertiser who is expert in similar methods. One of his tricks is to tell women that it's "revolting" to write to a man in consultation about disease. "Women should write to a woman." The remainder of the advertisement invites women to write for advice, and is carefully worded to convey the idea that the advice offered is that of a physician. But a close examination shows that there is no physician's advice offered and the whole clamor of "write to a woman" is raised to divert attention from the fact that the woman offering advice is not a doctor, and therefore not competent to give medical advice:

For the advice of an unqualified woman is just as dangerous as the advice of an unqualified man.

Women who are sick can obtain medical advice free by letter, by consulting Dr. R. V. Pierce, chief consulting physician of the Invalids' Hotel and Surgical Institute, Buffalo, N. Y. As an expert in the treatment and cure of female diseases Dr. Pierce takes the highest rank. In over thirty years' experience he has treated half-a-million women and of that great number ninety-eight per cent. have been perfectly and permanently cured. Each letter is held as private and its contents guarded as a sacred confidence.

Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription makes Weak Women Strong and Sick Women Well.

Suggestion for Digestion.

Eat HOCKETT'S Boston Ideal Fried Cakes.

Fire, Accident, Steam Boiler Insurance

Placed in time tried, reliable companies. Insurance placed on best farm property.

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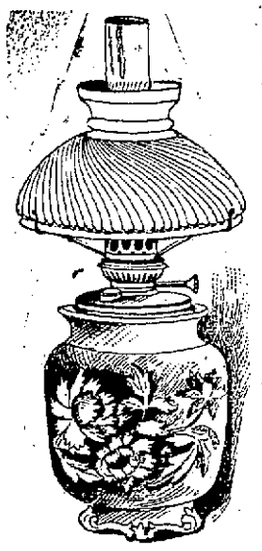
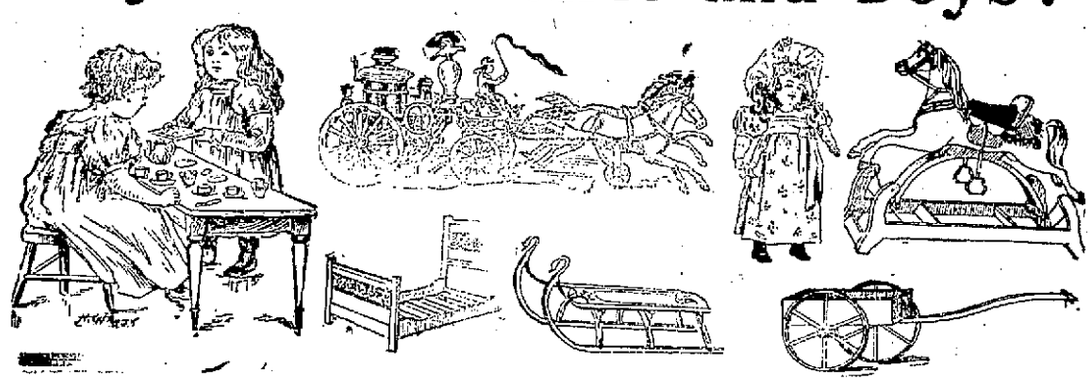


Is brimming over with nice things for Christmas. The stock of

Fancy Crockery And Lamps is complete.

The basement is nicely fitted up with all store conveniences, electric lights, heat by furnace and looked after by accommodating clerks.

Toys for the Girls and Boys!



A Perfect Delight for the Little Ones.

You will surely find what you want for the whole family here. Our Books and Jewelry deserve special mention.

See Our 5 and 10 Cent Counters.

IMPORTANT—This entire stock must be closed out before Christmas, regardless of cost.

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Figs,
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RAILROAD TIME TABLE

C. & N. W. RY.	Leave	Arrive
Chicago, via Clinton	* 4:30 am	*12:10 am
Chicago, via Clinton	* 6:40 am	* 9:25 pm
Chicago, via Clinton	† 7:35 am	† 8:00 pm
Chicago, via Clinton	†12:35 pm	†11:35 am
Chicago, via Clinton	* 7:15 pm	*12:45 am
Chicago, via Beloit and Harvard	† 2:10 pm	† 7:50 pm
Chicago, via Beloit and Harvard	† 7:00 am	† 6:55 pm
Chicago, via Beloit and Harvard, Sunday only	‡ 2:20 pm	.....
Beloit, Rockford, Freeport, Omaha and Denver	† 8:20 am	†11:59 am
Beloit, Rockford, Freeport, Omaha and Denver	† 2:10 pm	† 7:50 pm
Beloit and Rockford	† 7:00 am	† 6:55 pm
Beloit and Rockford	† 3:15 pm	† 8:05 am
Beloit, Rockford and Belvidere	† 8:20 am	† 7:50 pm
Beloit, Rockford and Belvidere	† 8:00 pm	†10:40 pm
Beloit, Harvard and Chicago, Sunday only	‡ 2:20 pm	.....
Watertown, Fond du Lac and Green Bay	† 7:00 am	† 7:55 pm
Watertown, Fond du Lac and Green Bay	†12:45 pm	†12:15 pm
Watertown, Waukesha and Milwaukee	† 8:05 am	†12:15 pm
Watertown, Waukesha and Milwaukee	†12:45 pm	† 7:50 pm
Watertown	† 8:10 pm	† 7:35 am
Watertown and Juneau Freight	† 4:00 pm	† 4:00 pm
Evansville, Brooklyn, Oregon and Madison	† :00 pm	† 8:20 pm
Evansville, Madison, La-Crosse and Dakota points	†-6:05 am	† 4:30 am
Evansville, Madison, La-Crosse and Dakota points	*12:45 am	* 7:15 pm
Evansville, Madison, La-Crosse and St. Paul	†11:20 am	* 7:15 pm
Evansville, Madison and St. Paul	* 9:30 pm	* 6:30 am
Evansville, Madison, Duluth and St. Paul	*12:10 am	* 4:30 am
Evansville, Madison, St. Paul and Dakota points	*12:45 am	† 2:50 pm
Evansville, Madison and Elroy, Sunday only	† 7:30 am	.....

* Daily.
† Daily except Sunday.
‡ Sunday only.

CHICAGO, MIL. & ST. P.	Leave For.	Arrive From.
Chicago, Elgin, Rockford and Beloit	7:00 a m	7:25 p m
	§1:50 pm	12:45 p m
Rockford and Beloit	.....	9:15 a m
Milwaukee, Whitewater, Waukesha and Chicago	7:00 a m	9:30 a m
	.....	‡10:15 pm
	10:45 a m	5:25 p m
	4:35 p m	7:40 p m
For Milwaukee	9:40 a m	9:17 a m
St. Paul, La Crosse, Portage and Madison	4:35 p m	11:30 a
	7:00 p m	5: 0 m
Madison		
Edgerton, Stoughton, Madison, Lone Rock, Richland Center, Prairie du Chien, McGregor, Portage, La Crosse, Winona, St. Paul, and Minneapolis	4:35 p m	
Iowa, Minnesota North and South Dakota, St. Paul, and Minneapolis, through sleeper and reclining chair cars via. McGregor—daily except Saturday	‡9:25 p m	9:17 a m
Chicago, Elgin, Rockford and Beloit	‡9:35 p m	4:00 p m
	†11: 0a m	.....
Chicago, Elgin, Rockford, Beloit, Delavan, Elkhorn and Racine	†11:40 am	12:55 p m
		4:00 p m
		7:25 p
Kansas City through train Beloit, Rockford, Freeport, Savanna, Dubuque, Rock Island, Cedar Rapids, Ia	*2:30 p m	
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From Freeport — connects Illinois with Central train north and south	†11:40 am	12:55 p m
	†2:35 p m	6:00 p m
Beloit, Rockford, Savanna, Sioux City, Omaha, Denver and west fast train. Also Dubuque	5:30 p m	4:10 p m
		6:00 p m
		9:15 a m
Monroe and Mineral Point	9:30 a m	4:35 p m
	6:10 p m	
Monroe and Mineral Point	§10:00a m	.....
	6:10 p m	9:25 a m
Monroe and Mineral Pt. mixed	.....	4:35 p m
	8:00 a m	.....
Milton and Milton Junction mixed train	§8:00 a m	6:30 p m
	.....	‡6:10 p

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†Daily except Sunday.
‡Except Saturday.
§Sunday only.

MAILS ARRIVE AND DEPART

JANESVILLE MAILS.	Arrive.	Close
Chicago, East, West, Southwest	6:00 am	9:00 am
North and Northwest	7:35 am	10:00 am
Chicago, East, North and Northwest	9:40 am	12:20 pm
Chicago, North, East, West and General	12:40 pm	
Chicago, East and all points North and West	6:00 pm	8:00 pm
	11:30 am	
SUNDAY MAILS.		
Chicago, East, South and Southwest	6:00 am	
North, Northwest, Etc.	6:20 pm	7:00 pm
MONDAY ONLY.		
Chicago, East, West and South		7:00 pm
STAGE MAILS.		
Johnstown and Richmond	11:00 am	2:30 pm
Emerald Grove and Fairfield	11:00 am	2:00 pm

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A good line of Trunks and Traveling Bags. Popular prices.
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Our Special for Thursday, Dec. 14th will be: : : : :

Ladies' and GENTS' . . . . Pocket Books, Purses!

Card Cases, Bill Books, Chatelaine Bags and Hand Bags.

We have just received for the Christmas trade more than 1000 different styles, ranging in price from 5c to $4 00 each It is without doubt the largest and most up to date line of these goods ever shown in Janesville. We have them made from Mexican Hand Carved Leather, "Heraldic" Burnt Leather, Cork Calf, Divinity Leather, Real Seal, Wild Steer, Alligator, Buffalo, Monkey, Brazilian Lizards and Morocco, in colors: Black, Brown, Gray Blue, Tan, Green and Red. Tomorrow we are going to give the people a chance to buy these Books, Purses and Bags, at special cut prices.

In the first place realizing that 25 cents is a popular price and that many people are looking for something extra good for a gift and only want to pay a quarter, we shall select from our line an extra large showing of Purses, worth 30c, 35c, 40, 45 and 50c and put them into one lot and you take your choice for ..... **25 c**

Pocket Books, Purses, Bags	worth up to 75c go at	.47	Pocket Books, Purses, Bags,	worth up to $2.50 go at	1.89
" " "	worth up to $1.00	.71	" " "	worth up to $3.00, go at	2.39
" " "	worth up to $1.25	.97	" " "	worth up to $3.50, go at	2.89
" " "	worth up to $1.50 go at	$1.19	" " "	worth up to $4.00, go at	3.39
" " "	worth up to $2.00	1.43			

Let us sell you a Pocket Books, Purses and Bags tomorrow, you will make a big saving in price and have a complete line to select from.

WE SHALL SHOW Biggest Line of Christmas Dry Goods

ever brought to this city, and this line of Pocket Books is only one line of the many that we propose to offer at the same great bargains. Come to us for Christmas Dry Goods, We will do you good.

Remember our Great Offer on Cloaks

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Our store will be open Every evening until Christmas.

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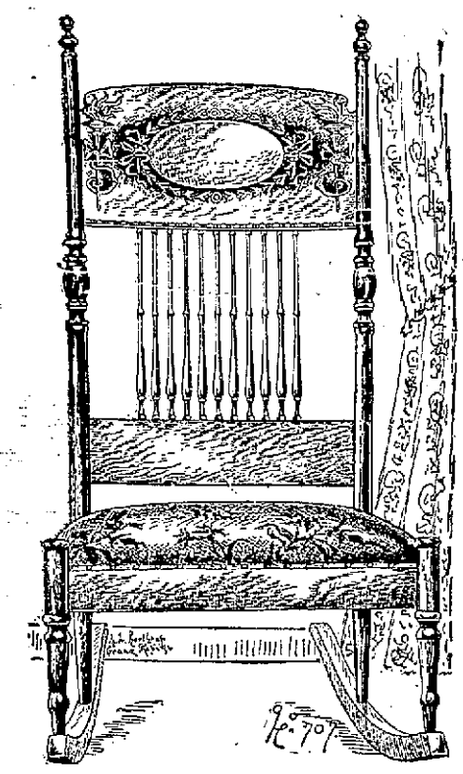
12 Days More Before Xmas.



Just received a large assortment of rich AMERICAN CUT GLASS at

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Nothing makes such a satisfactory holiday gift as a piece of furniture.

Fancy Rockers...

There is nothing that is made in so many shapes as a Rocker.

Dressing Tables...

A dainty Dressing Table for a dainty woman's boudoir is a most acceptable and cherished gift. Many are the pretty patterns from which to select, at prices that will please.

Children's Books to be closed out at 50c on the dollar

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The finest and largest line in the city.

Our Enameled Chatelaine for young ladies are very beautiful, ranging in price from $10.00 to $15.00

Silk Umbrellas, Mantel Clocks, Cut Glass,
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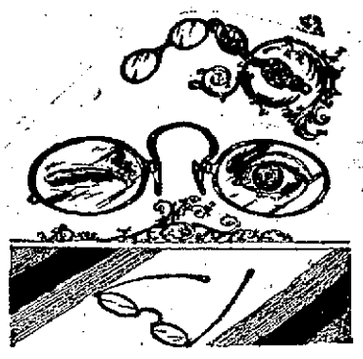
Silver Novelties of every description.



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Largest line of Solid Silverware ever purchased for the holiday trade.

One Million Dollars

For a pair of eyes with sight in them. A man—and not a very rich one either—recently advertised to pay one million dollars to the person who could restore his sight. He realized the preciousness of sight too late. A little rest from business—a visit to a careful optician, and he wouldn't have had to see with his ears. How about your eyes? Don't know? Let us find out for you. Examination free. Mr. Hayes, the reliable optician, will be at F. C. Cook & Co.'s store every day until after the holidays.

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